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SUBJ: WINTER SOLDIER INVESTIGATION AND POSSIBLE  
ANTI-WAR MARCH ON STATE CAPITOL-SPONSORED  
BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR AND  
SUPPORTED BY STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE  
(SHC), TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, MAY 15, 1971.  
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164 Ra Jacksonville nitels to Bureau, dated 5/13/71 and Tampa teletype to Bureau, dated 5/14/71.

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The sources utilized in the [redacted] have requested that their identities be kept confidential and furnished information to SA [redacted].

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Source One is a representative of a law enforcement agency familiar with Florida State University (FSU) in a position to acquire reliable information. 4

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Source Three is a representative of a state law enforcement agency in a position to receive reliable information concerning intelligence activities. 4

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Jacksonville, Florida  
May 17, 1971

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(SMC), TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, MAY 15, 1971

Sources One and Two advised on May 13, 1971 that tentative plans have been made by the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW), supported by the Student Mobilization Committee (SMC) at Florida State University (FSU), Tallahassee, Florida for a possible anti-war march to the State Capitol and Winter Soldier Investigation on May 15, 1971 at Tallahassee, Florida. Sources stated that about thirty members of VVAW from Tampa, Gainesville and possibly other areas in Florida were being invited to participate in the events with members of FSU VVAW and SMC and anyone else interested.

A characterization of SMC is attached to the Appendix Section of this memorandum.

The sources stated that if sufficient support develops, the group plans to march in Tallahassee to the front of the State Capitol Building about 2:00 PM, May 15, 1971 and put on an anti-war skit there. Infinite plans had been made to have a Winter Soldier Investigation at the Ballamy Building, FSU, from 7:00 to 11:00 PM, May 15, 1971. This will consist of a showing of anti-war films and speeches by veterans about alleged atrocities in Vietnam. Sources stated all activity is planned to be peaceful and a parade permit was being requested from the City of Tallahassee for the march.

On May 15, 1971, Source One and Three advised that at 2:15 PM, May 15, 1971, eighteen students connected with the VVAW in Florida marched from the J. Byron Department Store to the State Capitol Building in Tallahassee where they arrived at 3:00 PM. Members of the group were dressed in khaki uniforms and carried toy guns and anti-war signs asking that the United States participation in the war in Vietnam be ended now.

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Sources One and Three stated that the group were joined at the Capitol Building by ten other students some of whom were believed to be connected with the SMC group at FSU. The group put on a brief anti-war skit before a sparse crowd at the Capitol and then dispersed without incident. The sources stated that a simultaneous march from FSU planned by SMC did not materialize because of the inclement weather or lack of support.

On May 15, 1971, Sources Two and Four advised that members of VVAW conducted a Winter Soldier Investigation at the Bellamy Building, FSU, from 7:30 to 11:30 PM, May 15, 1971. The affair was publicized by leaflets before hand, was opened to the public and a total of about 75 persons attended. Anti-war films were shown, including one about a Winter Soldier Investigation previously held at Detroit, Michigan. The main event of the evening was a panel discussion led by Scott Camil, identified as Regional Coordinator for VVAW. Other members of the panel were believed to be from Gainesville and veterans of the war in Vietnam. Camil and other individuals spoke of their experiences in Vietnam and regarding alleged atrocities committed there. The group indicated the Florida Legislature was being requested to sponsor a resolution asking that the war in Vietnam be ended now.

Sources Two and Four estimated there were about 20 to 25 members of VVAW at the above affair with most coming from Gainesville, Florida. They advised that SMC members were at the affair but took no known part in the proceedings. Sources stated there is a small group of VVAW at FSU who are known to be strongly against the war in Vietnam but stated they did not know this group to have condoned the use of violence or disruptive tactics to express their opposition to the war. They stated there were no incidents in connection with the above affair.

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**STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE,  
Also Known As  
Student Mobilization Committee  
to End the War in Vietnam;  
National Student Mobilization Committee**

A source advised on May 16, 1969, that the Student Mobilization Committee (SMC) originally grew out of the National Student Strike for Peace Conference held in Chicago, Illinois, on December 28-29, 1966, which resulted in a call for massive antiwar demonstrations in New York City and San Francisco, California, on April 15, 1967. The National Student Strike for Peace Conference was originally called by the Communist Party (CP) and the Socialist Workers Party (SWP), culminating in a takeover by the SWP element in the Summer of 1968 and the CP element withdrawing. Source further advised that the SMC locally and nationally is controlled by the SWP and its youth arm, the Young Socialist Alliance (YSA), as evidenced by the YSA leadership and participation in SMC activities.

The SWP has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

A report of the Committee on Un-American Activities, House of Representatives, Ninetieth Congress, First Session, dated March 31, 1967, entitled "Communist Origin and Manipulation of Vietnam Week (April 8-15, 1967)," on page 58, states in part, "Communists are playing dominant roles in both the Student Mobilization Committee and the Spring Mobilization Committee."

A second source advised on November 16, 1970, that the New York Regional Office of the SMC was located at 15 East 17th Street, Second Floor, New York, New York, where "The Student Mobilizer" is published. "The Student Mobilizer" is self-described as being published by the National Office of the Student Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam. Source stated that the program of the SMC continues as follows: immediate and unconditional withdrawal of all United States troops from Vietnam, an end to the draft, an end to all forms of campus complicity with the war in Vietnam, self-determination for Vietnam and black America, and Constitutional rights for GIs and high school students.

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Student Mobilization Committee

A third source advised on February 16, 1971, that as of that date, the National Office of the NSC was located at 1029 Vermont Avenue, N. W., Eighth Floor, Washington, D. C. 20005.

YSA is characterized separately in the Appendix.

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YOUNG SOCIALIST ALLIANCE

A source advised on May 14, 1970, that the Young Socialist Alliance (YSA) maintains its national headquarters at 41 Union Square West, New York, New York, and has as its official publication "The Young Socialist Organizer" (YSO). The YSA is the youth organization of the Socialist Workers Party (SWP) and serves as the main source of recruitment into the SWP.

According to the masthead of the "YSO" dated April 29, 1970, the YSA is described as "A multi-national revolutionary socialist youth organization."

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Character Internal Security-Miscellaneous

Reference Letterhead memorandum, dated May 17, 1971

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities  
are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable  
information in the past.

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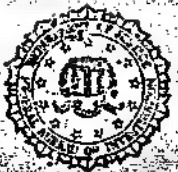
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letterhead memorandum, dated as above concerning captioned  
demonstrations. *u*

Suitable numbers of copies of the LHM are enclosed  
for the listed offices because of their interest in this matter. *u*

Source utilized is [REDACTED] Source orally furnished  
this information to the Washington Field Office. *b7D b7C*

Information furnished by source contained in the LHM  
is classified Confidential because the unauthorized disclosure  
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WASHINGTON, D.C., APRIL 18  
THROUGH APRIL 23, 1971

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From April 18, 1971, through April 23, 1971, Vietnam  
Veterans Against The War (VVAW) sponsored demonstrations in  
Washington, D.C., opposing the Vietnam War. Source attended  
these activities and furnished the following information:

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[REDACTED] went to the VVAW Office which is described as being approximately ten stories in height and apparently completely occupied by radical movements. The VVAW Office is on the tenth floor and the Peoples' Coalition for Peace and Justice (PCPJ) occupies the ninth floor. (u)

PCPJ is self described as headquartered in Washington, D.C. and consisting of one hundred organizations using massive, non-violent civil disobedience to combat racism, poverty, repression and war. (u)

It was noted that two guards check identity at the entrance. (u)

VVAW began organizing in West Potomac Park and approximately one hundred people had already assembled there. Several trucks were observed at this location and radio communications were maintained by them. (u)

The [REDACTED] continued [REDACTED] VVAW was located and [REDACTED] in combat gear for the Mall by the Washington Monument. (u) P.C.

These demonstrators with some young people, who had already had a party going, and with several "tag-a-longs," went marching to the Lincoln Memorial. They entered, chanted "Power to the People" and left for the "camp" when the police looked nervous. (u)

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In "camp" that evening, a rock band entertained the group and some individuals slept with local acquaintances in forty degree weather. ~~u~~ ~~u~~ ~~u~~

On April 19, 1971, the group of veterans had grown to nearly one thousand people and a "command van" had arrived from Massachusetts. The group left "camp", dressed in combat regalia and some carried plastic M-16 rifles. They crossed the Potomac Bridge, proceeded into the area directly in front of the main gates of the Arlington National Cemetery, where a religious service was held by an ex-Chaplin, and Gold Star mothers were introduced (they lost their sons in Vietnam). A delegation of five veterans were going to lay two wreaths in the cemetery at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, one wreath for Vietnamese dead and one wreath for the American dead. However, the gates of the cemetery were locked and guarded. Tempers flared among the crowd and toy rifles were smashed on the gates and a steel helmet was also thrown on the gates. Some members of the crowd urged rushing the gates, but the moderates held and the march moved back across the bridge. One veteran was observed crying because his father was buried in the cemetery. ~~u~~ ~~u~~ ~~u~~

The march, following the sidewalks, moved down Constitution Avenue, then moved down a side street to Pennsylvania Avenue to the White House. The crowd, at this time, occupied the right half of the street and was chanting "bring 'em home, bring our brothers home," and a few obscene versions. They passed in front of the Justice Department and chanted "Sieg Heil" with a fascist salute, until some young man on the fourth floor of the Justice Building came out and gave the "peace sign." The march ended on the Capitol steps, there was some internecine haggling; heard where Senator McClosky and Senator Bella Abzug. After a discussion, the crowd marched to the Mall, next to the Capitol, and voted to begin lobbying. ~~u~~ ~~u~~ ~~u~~

Most of the veterans went to various offices of Senators and Representatives appealing for a December 31 withdrawal date. ~~u~~ ~~u~~ ~~u~~

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from Vietnam. Four veterans from California went to see California Senator John Tunney, California Senator Allen Cranston, and California Congressman Almonso Bell, and as could be predicted, all showed the greatest support for VVAW. *X X U*

The veterans' gear was sent to the Mall and the group slept there. As always, there were scores of "street people" and drugs. Runaway girls were there (some of them incredibly young) and even a contingent of winos stayed in the area wanting free food. *X X U*

On April 20, 1971, approximately one hundred veterans went to the hearings of the Senate Armed Services Committee and another one hundred veterans went to the Senate Foreign Relations hearings. The rest of the veterans were involved in "Guerilla Theatre" in various areas of Washington. No trouble occurred, but the veterans at the Senate hearings had to be admonished occasionally for extensive noise. *X X U*

At approximately 12 p.m., about three hundred veterans, with mounted police leading the way, marched to Arlington National Cemetery again. This time, after a short delay, they were admitted within the gates. They were silent and as they knelt on the asphalt, shots were heard in the distance and the taps were played. The march back was scattered, strung out, and quiet. *X X U* *b7c b7d*

"Skip" Roberts

Washington, D.C.

George B. Roberts

Apparently is a local VVAW leader and he seemed to know and be known by everyone in the peace movement. *(u)*

~~MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION~~

A band played in the Mall area and a party atmosphere reigned. *X X U*

On April 21, 1971, the veterans split up into various working groups, lobbying committees, and visiting committees. One committee visited the Armed Services Subcommittee where General Chapman, Commandant of the Marine Corps, was requesting additional four star generals for the Marine Corps. The veterans *X X U*

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were mostly ex-Marines and they remained quiet until the proceedings were over and then demanded time to debate the war, but were rejected. *K & U*

"Guerilla Theatre", that is, acted out skits representing atrocities committed in Vietnam, with local students playing the Vietnamese, were enacted all over town, particularly around the parks, schools and tourists centers. Occasionally it got very realistic and the "Vietnamese" had bruises to show for their efforts. *K & U*

A caucus was held to decide what action would be taken on a Supreme Court injunction against camping on the Mall. Former Attorney General Ramsey Clark, advised the veterans that if they did not pitch tents, cook food, or engage in "sleeping activities" then they could not be arrested for violating the court injunction. Al Hubbard, local VVAW leader, said that staying awake for the remaining 36 hours would be the best approach, but Sam Shore of California, said he would sleep anyway. After a vote of 480 for sleeping and 400 for staying up, it was decided that if they were arrested, they would go peacefully, with their hands on top of their heads prisoner of war style. Various Senators, including Senator Edward Kennedy, California Congressman Dellums, pledged to spend the night with the veterans. I.F. Stone spoke briefly. Despite the anxiety, there were no arrests. Rennie Davis was observed in the camp site. *K & U*

*MASS. D.C.* On April 22, 1971, approximately 150 veterans went to the Supreme Court building and defended a ruling on the constitutionality of the Vietnam war. However, when they tried to enter, they were arrested on charges of obstructing justice. 110 in all were arrested. Bail raising campaigns were begun and two more veterans were arrested while trying to raise bail for the others. The charges were reduced and those arrested were released during the early afternoon. *K & U*

Several people offered their homes to the veterans if the court injunction was enforced. Father Wendt, St. Stephen and the Incarnation Church, 16th and Newton, offered his Church *D.C.*

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as did "The Friends" Meeting House, Florida and 22nd Street,  
Washington, D.C. Several Senators, including Senator Ted  
Kennedy, offered their offices to sleep in. ~~u~~ ~~u~~ ~~u~~

The camp grounds had become a "happening." Kindergarten  
classes had field trips there; art classes drew and sketched  
the veterans; visiting liberals joined them; and tourists were  
everywhere. The "street people" had to be forcibly kicked out,  
but repeatedly returned to the camp. ~~u~~ ~~u~~ ~~u~~

On the evening of April 22, 1971, a candlelight march  
was held by the veterans and they marched down Constitution  
Avenue to the White House. A cold strong wind blew out the  
candles and dampened enthusiasm to a great degree. Once again  
the veterans camped on the Mall and no arrests resulted. ~~u~~ ~~u~~ ~~u~~

Relations with the Washington, D.C. Police were in  
general cordial with no hostile action planned because of the  
control the police exhibited. At one point, when arrests were  
rumored eminent, bricks and pieces of conduit, as well as rocks  
were distributed. Gas masks and motorcycle helmets were also  
in evidence. ~~u~~ ~~u~~ ~~u~~

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During the VVAW activities, ~~Al Hubbard~~, Jan Crumb, Tim Butz, and others were overshadowed by a more popular and eloquent figure, John Kerry. Kerry was featured on the television show "Meet the Press" and he also appeared in the Senate Foreign Relations Committee room. Kerry was glib, cool, and displayed what the moderate elements wanted to reflect. It appears that Al Hubbard revealed his own ambitions of becoming the VVAW National leader by lying about his former military rank. He claimed to be a Captain, but in reality, was a Sergeant. (u)

On April 23, 1971, the last action of the VVAW was a march, single file, to the retaining fence in front of the Capitol. One by one each veteran would say a few words and then throw his metals over the fence. Several veterans actually threw their metals, including one man with a Navy Cross, but most just threw various battle ribbons, discharge papers, draft reclassification cards, Veterans of Foreign War identification cards, helmets and plastic rifles. (u)

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On April 24, 1971, the PCPJ sponsored [REDACTED]. The marchers displayed (u)

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a great deal of confusion, however, at approximately 11:30am the march began down Pennsylvania Avenue. The speakers were protected by a string of young parade marchers linked in a circle. The speakers were also protected by unidentified Teamster's Union members. Among the speakers noted were ~~Harrold Gibbons, President of the Teamster's Union; Dave Livingston, International Electrical Workers Union; Abe Fineglass, Meat Cutters Union; Mitch Miller, Song Leader; and his girlfriend "Buttons"; and Mrs. Warner, the mother of a Marine prisoner of war.~~ The marchers left the fence around the Capitol and the speakers were checked for their appropriate passes [a pink card with "Teamster's Union" written on it].

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The speeches began and included speeches by Dave Livingston; Abe Fineglass; Mrs. Warren; the former Governor of Minnesota; ~~Henry Alles (Businessmen for Peace) who said ridiculously, "The Vietnam war is bad for business;" I.F. Stone, who said "We won't have peace until we get rid of Nixon like we got rid of Johnson;" a former suberaget; Ex-Governor Greening of Alaska; George Wall; Ralph Abernathy of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, who spoke at great length about welfare rights; Coretta King, doing a marvelous imitation of her late husband; and Ruth Colby of the Peace Action Council (see appendix).~~ U

During the speeches, it became evident there was friction developing on the podium. The Trotskyite groups comprised of the Student Mobilization Committee (SMC) (see appendix), the Socialist Workers Party (SWP) (see appendix), the Young Socialist Alliance (YSA) (see appendix), and the Workers League (see appendix), obviously were in opposition to the Stalinists groups such as the National Peace Action Coalition (NPAC) (see appendix), the Communist Party (CP), and the May Day Collective. K R U

The May Day Collective is a faction of militants nominally attached to the PCPJ and under the direction of Rennie Davis. U

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The Trotskyite groups were in charge of the rally and issued passes to only those they wanted on the platform. Their speakers were given precedence and in particular, Jerry Gordon and Mario Trevino. There was a great deal of hostility vented and the audience was unaware of this. U

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The "Harrisburg 6" are six individuals indicted by Federal Grand Jury during January, 1971, for conspiring to damage Federal buildings in Washington, D.C. and kidnap Henry A. Kissinger, a presidential adviser on national security. U

Reverend Magora Kennedy, a black leader of the Women's Liberation and Gay Women's Liberation Front, spoke of a meeting in Canada with Vietnamese women, and in particular, Mrs. Phan Nigh. U

Some individuals claiming to be veterans tried to tear down one of the gates surrounding the podium, but were held off by the guards along with the promise that John Kerry would speak for the veterans. Kerry spoke and several entertainers, namely Peter, Paul and Mary; "Country Joe" MacDonald; Pete Dinkler and his group; Mitch Miller; and Phil Spector participated. [REDACTED] was seen in the crowd. He is [REDACTED] works at [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

The rally appeared to number approximately 300,000, a tremendous mass of people stretching from the Capitol to Washington Monument, and all the way as far as the eye could see, down Pennsylvania Avenue. U

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[REDACTED] a rock concert near the Washington  
Monument, which was attended by approximately 100,000 youths.  
[REDACTED] Phil Ochs assail the Trotskyites and Rennie  
Davis spoke of the coming May Day activities such as 10,000  
people occupying the halls of Congress and the the blockage  
of Washington, D.C. streets. (u) b7c b7d

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"GUARDIAN"  
Formerly Known As  
"National Guardian"

Weekly Guardian Associates, Incorporated

The "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications," revised and published as of December 1, 1961, prepared and released by the Committee on Un-American Activities, United States House of Representatives, Washington, D.C., contains the following concerning the "National Guardian": U

"1....'established by the American Labor Party in 1947 as a "progressive" weekly...it has manifested itself from the beginning as a virtual official propaganda arm of Soviet Russia.'" U

Beginning with the February 10, 1968, issue, the "National Guardian" became the "Guardian." U

The May 9, 1970 issue of the "Guardian" is self-described as an "independent radical newsweekly." U

The December 1968, issue of "The New York Times" carried an interview with the editors of the "Guardian." One of the editors stated: "Our job is to build a radical movement. To quote the Cuban Revolutionaries, we are not only to write about it, but also to move along with it... we are movement people acting as journalists." U

"The 'Guardian' takes a strong left position, but it is not identified with any organized group because it believes that an American left ideology is still in the making. One of its purposes is to break away from the cliches of the left ideology of the past." U

A source advised in May 1970, that the "Guardian" is located at 32 West 22nd Street, New York, New York. U

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NATIONAL PEACE ACTION COALITION

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On October 7, 1970, a source made available a copy of "An Open Letter To All College Students" from the National Peace Action Coalition (NPAC) dated October 6, 1970, which self-described the NPAC as an umbrella organization formed at the Student Mobilization Committee National Emergency Conference Against Cambodia-Laos-Viet Nam War held at Cleveland, Ohio, on June 19-21, 1970, to unite all antiwar forces in the struggle to immediately end United States involvement in Southeast Asia. One aim of the NPAC is to gain the support of labor forces. U

NPAC Headquarters is located at 2102 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, with branch offices located in major United States cities. U

A second source, on October 11, 1970, made available a copy of a paper entitled "Organizing Local Peace Action Conditions," published by the NPAC, 2102 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland. The paper states that the basic objective of the NPAC is to involve masses of people, including labor unions, GIs, and the black community, in the struggle to end United States intervention in Indochina through orderly and peaceful tactics. These tactics include building mass demonstrations and national conferences, distributing leaflets, rolling literature, organizing forums and fund-raising activities, and testifying at state legislature hearings. U

A third source, on September 1, 1970, advised the NPAC was formed and made operational by members of the Socialist Workers Party (SWP). The NPAC is heavily influenced by SWP leadership nationally and is a recruiting ground for this organization. U

The SWP has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450. U

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The "People's World", a weekly west coast communist newspaper, in its issue of November 5, 1966, in an article on Page 3, describes the Peace Action Council (PAC) as "a coordinating agency for peace activists" which conducts emergency mobilizations and demonstrative actions against the war in Vietnam. u

On July 22, 1966, a source reported that the PAC, which has also been known as the Greater Los Angeles Peace Action Council (GLAPAC), was formed during the early summer of 1966, for the express purpose of protesting the war in Vietnam during the National Governors Conference held in Los Angeles, California, from July 4-8, 1966. Following the conclusion of that conference, the PAC members decided to continue as a coordinating group to sponsor similar protest demonstrations at later dates. u

A second source was contacted on April 24, 1970, and reported that the PAC continues to operate under the same basic concept, noting that in 1968 and 1969, PAC had sponsored demonstrations against Presidents JOHNSON and NIXON, protesting the policies of their respective administrations governing American military commitments in Vietnam. PAC presently maintains its headquarters at 555 North Western Avenue, Los Angeles, California, 90004, telephone number 462-8180. u

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REVOLUTIONARY YOUTH MOVEMENT

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A source advised that the Revolutionary Youth Movement II (RYMII) faction of Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) held a national conference at Atlanta, Georgia, from November 26 to 30, 1969. At this conference it was decided to form a new organization to be known as Revolutionary Youth Movement (RYM), characterized as a mass anti-imperialist youth organization, said organization being proposed as separate and distinct in form and content from SDS. The "Principles of Unity" adopted by the conference included a struggle against white supremacy and male supremacy; fights against imperialism, anticommunism, fascism and oppression of youth; and support of the right of self-determination of all "oppressed nations," also support of the right of all "oppressed and exploited" peoples "to armed self-defense." It was agreed that RYM would not be a Marxist-Leninist organization; however, source said this was decided in order to indicate an organization broad enough in form to be acceptable to everyone. A temporary National Steering Committee (NSC) made up of eight females and two males was elected to govern RYM until national officers could be elected during the Spring of 1970. U

RYM publications have listed the RYM National Office (NO) at Post Office Box 5421 and Post Office Box 77012 C, both Atlanta, Georgia, and a second source has advised that the NO has no office space but would probably be considered as located at Apartment 27, 1067 Alta Avenue, Northeast, Atlanta. U

Second source advised that women dominated the founding conference and have continued to dominate NSC meetings to the point that "women's liberation" has apparently become the RYM's principal issue - also that RYM's poor financial condition has resulted in its failure to publish a paper. During early 1970, RYM has decided to cater to the working class rather than youth, since the potential for social revolution lies in workers. U

A third source has stated that it was decided at the March 1970, NSC meeting that RYM women had decided the organization will be molded into a "working class, Marxist-Leninist, revolutionary, anti-imperialist, problack nationalist, people's women's liberation organization." U

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STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Students for a Democratic Society, commonly known as SDS, came into existence at a founding convention held during June 1962, at Port Huron, Michigan. From an initial posture of "participatory democracy," Marxist-Leninist ideology of various shadings became predominant during 1968-1969 with debate centering on how best to create a revolutionary youth movement. SDS moved from involvement in the civil rights struggle to an anti-Vietnam war position to advocacy of a militant anti-imperialist line linking up the oppressed peoples of Asia, Africa and Latin America with the black liberation movement in the United States. All major factions within SDS embrace Marxism-Leninism and identify internationally with China, Cuba and North Vietnam as countries leading the worldwide struggles against the United States. However, the Soviet Union was regarded as imperialist and with the Communist Party, United States of America, "revisionist" in nature. u

SDS operated under a national constitution which called for an annual National Convention (NC) and quarterly National Council meetings wherein programs were initiated and debated. Three national officers were elected annually with a National Interim Committee to run the organization. Regional offices and college chapters elected delegates to the national meetings but each functioned independently on local matters. Its official publication "Fire" (formerly "New Left Notes") last appeared in December 1969. u

Internal factionalism of serious proportions developed during 1968 - 1969 and the following three factions evolved as a result of a split at the June 1969, NC: Weatherman, Worker Student Alliance (WSA), and Revolutionary Youth Movement (RYM). The effect of the split on SDS chapters throughout the country was divisive. Some aligned with one or the other of the three major factions. Others, unable to identify with any faction, disassociated with SDS completely and changed names. u

The SDS national office in recent years was located at 1608 West Madison Street, Chicago, Illinois. It was closed in February 1970. u

The Weatherman and RYM groups no longer consider themselves associated with SDS, and the WSA group refers to itself as the true SDS. u



STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE  
Also Known As  
Student Mobilization Committee  
to End the War in Vietnam;  
National Student Mobilization Committee

A source advised on May 16, 1969, that the Student Mobilization Committee (SMC) originally grew out of the National Student Strike for Peace Conference held in Chicago, Illinois, on December 28-29, 1966, which resulted in a call for massive antiwar demonstrations in New York City and San Francisco, California, on April 15, 1967. The National Student Strike for Peace Conference was originally called by the Communist Party (CP) and the Socialist Workers Party (SWP), culminating in a takeover by the SWP element in the Summer of 1968 and the CP element withdrawing. Source further advised that the SMC locally and nationally is controlled by the SWP and its youth arm, the Young Socialist Alliance (YSA), as evidenced by the YSA leadership and participation in SMC activities.

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A report of the Committee on Un-American Activities, House of Representatives, Ninetieth Congress, First Session, dated March 31, 1967, entitled "Communist Origin and Manipulation of Vietnam Week (April 8-15, 1967)," on page 53, states in part, "Communists are playing dominant roles in both the Student Mobilization Committee and the Spring Mobilization Committee."

A second source advised on November 16, 1970, that the New York Regional Office of the SMC was located at 15 East 17th Street, Second Floor, New York, New York, where "The Student Mobilizer" is self-described as being published by the National Office of the Student Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam. Source stated that the program of the SMC continues as follows: immediate and unconditional withdrawal of all United States troops from Vietnam, an end to the draft, an end to all forms of campus complicity with the war in Vietnam, self-determination for Vietnam and black America, and Constitutional rights for GIs and high school students.

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STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE  
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to End the War in Vietnam  
National Student Mobilization Committee

A third source advised on February 16, 1971,  
that as of that date, the National Office of the SMC was  
located at 1029 Vermont Avenue, N.W., Eighth Floor,  
Washington, D.C. 20005. U

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WEATHERMAN

Initially called the "Action Faction," Weatherman came into being immediately before the June 1969, Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) National Convention (NC). At this NC Weatherman won all three national officer positions and a majority of the National Interim Committee as well. Subsequently, they took over the SDS National Office (NO) in Chicago, and controlled its funds, paper and national records. Although internal struggle existed until late 1969, Weatherman for all major purposes controlled SDS nationally from June 1969, until its NO closed in February 1970. At this time it no longer considered itself part of SDS. U

The term Weatherman emerged from an ideological paper prepared by its leaders entitled "You Don't Need a Weatherman to Know Which Way the Wind Blows" ("New Left Notes" June 18, 1969). This statement outlined the basic stance of Weatherman: Marxist-Leninist in content but with strong advocacy that action not theory would bring about revolution in the United States. This posture was complemented with an international identification to the Cuban revolution and Castro's statement that the duty of a revolutionary is to make revolution. U

During October 1969, Weatherman riots in Chicago resulted in more than 260 arrests for mob action and related charges. A program of armed struggle was finalized during a December 1969, "War Council" wherein terrorist tactics and political assassination were contemplated. The basic strength of Weatherman was then revealed to be some 300 - 350 nationally and geographically apportioned to the Midwest, New York, and some Northwest. U

As its rhetoric of violence escalated, Weatherman leaders increasingly discussed the necessity of an underground operation wherein more than 90 percent of the organization would be submerged; "affinity groups" of three - five members would function independently. In February 1970, Weatherman leaders announced a program of "strategic sabotage" with police and military installations as primary targets. U

In February 1970, Weatherman abandoned the SDS NO, 1608 West Madison Street, Chicago, Illinois, and throughout the country entered an underground status. U

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WORKERS LEAGUE,  
Formerly Known As  
American Committee For The Fourth International

On September 9, 1970, a source advised as follows:

TIM WOHLFORTH, when a member of the Socialist Workers Party (SWP) National Committee, led a minority group of ten accusing the majority of losing revolutionary perspective. The WOHLFORTH group adhered to the views of British Trotskyists, with whom it secretly consorted, and with certain cothinkers in the International Committee of the Fourth International (FI), a world Trotskyist organization. It accused the leadership of adopting views of those within the FI who favored "bureaucratic" revolution over the genuine "revolutionary working class outlook" of LEON TROTSKY. Domestically, the WOHLFORTH faction opposed SWP orientation toward student activity, feeling the Party should place major emphasis on trade unions and participation in the civil rights struggle. u

Although tolerated for some time, the WOHLFORTH group was expelled from the SWP in July 1964. u

Following expulsion, the WOHLFORTH group formed the American Committee for the Fourth International and planned to work with other radical and militant organizations, concentrating on the civil rights movement which to them is a basic "class" struggle. More recently, the group has devoted time and effort to its call for an American labor party which in its view will enable the working class to exert its latent political power. It plans to build a political party around a publication and classes of instruction in Marxism. u

During November 1966, the organization's name was changed to Workers League. Headquarters are located at 135 West 14th Street, New York, New York. Its publication is the "Bulletin." u

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WORKER STUDENT ALLIANCE/PROGRESSIVE LABOR PARTY

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A source advised during August 1969, that at the National Convention (NC) of Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) held in Chicago, Illinois, during June 1969, a split arose between the Progressive Labor Party (PLP) and the National Office (NO), the NO becoming known as the Weatherman faction. The PLP faction drew the largest support among those in attendance at the NC. U

Source further advised that during late Summer, 1969, the PLP faction of SDS established its National Headquarters (NH) on the second floor of a loft-type building at 173A Massachusetts Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts. The campaign on which the PLP faction centered was to build a worker student alliance or a campus worker student alliance. Thus, they adopted the names of Worker Student Alliance (WSA) or Campus Worker Student Alliance. U

Source stated that the "New Left Notes," printed in New York City, is the official publication of the WSA faction. U

A second source advised during January 1970, that within the SDS, the WSA is a caucus of which the PLP constitutes the leadership. U

A third source advised during July 1970, that during demonstrations staged in the Boston area during the Spring and Summer of 1970 by the NH, the main theme of previous demonstrations staged by the NH shifted from protestations of the Vietnam War and other United States foreign policy matters to attacking domestic issues such as racism and unemployment and demonstrating support of the "workers' struggle." U

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YOUNG SOCIALIST ALLIANCE

A source advised on May 14, 1970, that the Young Socialist Alliance (YSA) maintains its national headquarters at 41 Union Square West, New York, New York, and has as its official publication "The Young Socialist Organizer" (YSO). The YSA is the youth organization of the Socialist Workers Party (SWP) and serves as the main source of recruitment into the SWP. u

According to the masthead of the "YSO" dated April 29, 1970, the YSA is described as "A multi-national revolutionary socialist youth organization." u

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YOUNG SOCIALIST LEAGUE (YSL)

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The March 1, 1954 issue of the "Young Socialist Challenge", published as Page 3 of "Labor Action", contained an article concerning the creation of the YSL which pointed out that at a unity convention occurring February 12-14, 1954, at Labor Action Hall, New York City, a merger occurred between the Young People's Socialist League (YPSL) and the Socialist Youth League (SYL). The new organization was named the YSL. U

A source on June 15, 1954, made available the minutes of the YSL's National Action Committee meeting of April 13, 1954, which reflect that one S. SITEMAN, "Chairman of SP (Socialist Party) Youth Committee", had objected to a statement appearing in "Commerce", a New York University Journal, which indicated that the YPSL merged with the SYL to form the YSL. He explained that the YPSL did not merge with anyone, that it continued to exist as the youth section of the Socialist Party. He explained that a small group of the YPSL was dropped, expelled, or suspended from that organization and joined the SYL, which he characterized as the youth group of the "Trotskyite ISL" (Independent Socialist League). He explained that after these few former members of the YPSL joined the SYL, the SYL then proceeded to change its name for its own purposes. U

On April 9, 1956, another source advised as follows:

"The YSL has frequently worked in close sympathetic cooperation with the ISL towards similar objectives, although each major issue given mutual consideration is decided upon by these organizations individually. The YSL serves as an apprenticeship for the ISL, but ISL selection of members from YSL ranks is made on an individual and personal basis. In many instances YSL members are also members of the ISL. The YSL and the ISL utilize the same printing house in New York City and the YSL publication is printed as an insert in 'Labor Action'. Frequently, lectures before the YSL are ISL members." U

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The September 22, 1958, issue to "Young Socialist Challenge", which appeared as Page 5 of "Labor Action", contained an undated statement from the National Action Committee of the YSL which indicated that the YSL had been dissolved. The statement appeared under the caption "Join the Young Peoples Socialist League". U

The YPSL is publicly known as the Youth Affiliate of the Socialist Party - Social Democratic Federation. U

On November 18, 1958, a source advised as follows:

The YSL's announced purpose was to transform the present society into one in which the working class would control production and distribution. Its actual primary function was that of recruiting and training students and young workers for the ISL. U

The national YSL had a branch organization in Los Angeles (LAB-YSL) which was formed in February, 1954, and is now dissolved. The LAB-YSL was in frequent communication with the national YSL headquarters by mail, by visits of national YSL officials to Los Angeles, and occasionally by visits of LAB-YSL members to national YSL headquarters. U

The LAB-YSL heard visiting speakers from national YSL headquarters, received and disseminated its literature, submitted reports from time to time on LAB-YSL activities, sent representatives to national YSL conventions and/or plenums and was represented on the national level by some of its own members. Its activities consistently followed a pattern laid out by national YSL policies and practices and were designed to accomplish the national YSL objectives. U

The LAB-YSL dissolved in October 1958 and became a part of the YPSL. U

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FROM NEW YORK 100-16567B

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE (UCCC), STONE RIDGE, NEW YORK, MAY FIVE  
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VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - MISC, VIOEM;  
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ON THIS DATE, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS  
FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED THAT ON  
MAY FIVE NEXT VARIOUS ANTI-WAR WORKSHOPS AND PEACE VIGILS  
WILL BE CONDUCTED AT UCCC, STONE RIDGE, NEW YORK. ACTIVITIES  
WILL BE CULMINATED WITH A CANOE LIGHT PROCESSION, SEVEN PM  
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STUDENT MORATORIUM BEING HELD IN MEMORY OF THE "KENT STATE  
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NEW YORK WILL FOLLOW AND ADVISE.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI  
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 SUBJECT: VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VAW),  
 COLUMBUS, OHIO,  
 UNIDENTIFIED MAP CONTAINING  
 POSSIBLE TARGETS, FOUND  
 COLUMBUS, OHIO  
 APRIL 30, 1971  
 IS - MISCELLANEOUS

Re Cincinnati teletypes to Bureau, 4/30/71, and

5/3/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau are six copies of an LHM captioned as above. Also enclosed for the Bureau is one copy of captioned unidentified map containing possible targets found at Columbus, Ohio.

The confidential source is [redacted] is under consideration for a PSI [redacted] Ohio State University (OSU), Columbus, Ohio, who has voluntarily furnished information. Information furnished by [redacted] on 5/4/71, was disseminated to the Columbus Police Department, Ohio State Highway Patrol, Columbus; OSU Police Department, Columbus; 109th MI Group, Columbus; and the Security Office of Defense Construction Supply Center, Columbus, all on 5/5/71.

The SA of the FBI, who obtained a copy of the map from [redacted] Intelligence, [redacted] Department, Columbus, Ohio, on 4/30/71, was SA [redacted]

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The LHM is being classified "~~CONFIDENTIAL~~" to adequately protect a source of continuing value, the disclosure of whom could jeopardize his continued effectiveness and be detrimental to the defense interests of the nation.

Copies of this LHM are being disseminated locally to U.S. Secret Service, 109th MI Group, NISO and OSI, all Columbus, Ohio.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Cincinnati, Ohio

May 14, 1971

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RE: VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
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UNIDENTIFIED MAP CONTAINING  
POSSIBLE TARGETS, FOUND  
COLUMBUS, OHIO,  
APRIL 30, 1971

On April 30, 1971, [redacted] Intelli-  
gence, Ohio State University [redacted], Police Department,  
Columbus, Ohio, advised that on this date, his office  
had obtained Xerox copies of a map of the City of  
Columbus, Ohio, which has many markings and notations  
that may be of interest to the Federal Bureau of Investigation  
(FBI). [redacted] stated that the original copy of the map  
was located in the office of the Veterans Against The War  
(VAW) Organization, Room 234 of the OSU Student Union,  
Columbus, Ohio. The [redacted] was observed at that location on  
April 28, 1971, by [redacted]

[redacted] notified [redacted] of the map's existence on [redacted]  
and he instructed a source to photocopy the map and to  
leave the original in its present location.

[redacted] advised that he had been unable  
to identify many of the notations and markings on the map,  
however, at the location of the Defense Construction Supply  
Center (DCSC), 3990 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio,  
there are the letters DCSC with a star, and the star is  
located in the middle of a triangle. The three apexes of  
the triangle have a symbol, which resembles the letter "t"  
crossed twice, and the handwritten legend located at the  
right margin of the map, shows this symbol to represent  
"mortar tubes". There are straight lines drawn from each  
"mortar tube" which converge on the star designating DCSC.  
Also noted on the map are the locations of the Military  
Intelligence Regional Headquarters and the Columbus, Ohio  
Field Office of the Military Intelligence.

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[REDACTED] advised that copies of the map have been furnished to the Intelligence Units of the Columbus, Ohio Police Department, and the Ohio State Highway Patrol (OSHP) Headquarters, Columbus, Ohio. He advised that the representatives of these agencies have been unable to furnish any information concerning the map.

[REDACTED] made a copy of the map available to a Special Agent (SA) of the FBI, a copy of which is attached to the LHM.

On April 30, 1971, [REDACTED] Intelligence Unit, OSHP, Headquarters, Columbus, Ohio, advised his office had been unable to determine the significance of any of the markings on the map found at VAW Headquarters, OSU, on this date. He advised that he is presently contacting sources in an attempt to further identify the meanings of the map. b7c

On April 30, 1971, [REDACTED] Intelligence, Columbus, Ohio Police Department, advised his office had been unable to develop any information which would further identify the map.

On April 30, 1971, [REDACTED] Security, DCSC, Columbus, Ohio, was notified of the information found on the attached map. He advised his office had no information which would add to the significance of the map.

On May 3, 1971, [REDACTED] supra, advised his office had been unable to develop further information concerning the significance of the attached map. [REDACTED] stated that the VAW at OSU had not previously been involved in violent activities, and as far as he could determine from sources, there was no violence planned for the future by the organization.

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On May 3, 1971, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], Region IV, Military Intelligence Group, Columbus, Ohio, advised that his office was able to determine the following information concerning the map:

The word "Mup" followed by what seems to be a small letter "b", handwritten in the lower righthand margin of the map is apparently a word written in the Russian Language. [REDACTED] who is fluent in reading, writing and speaking Russian, advised that this is the Russian word for peace or world. In the upper right hand corner of the map is handwritten "Aus dem Gewehr entsteht politische Macht!". [REDACTED] advised this is apparently a phrase written in the German Language and one of his officers advised him that literally translated this would mean "out of weapon or rifle grows political power". [REDACTED] stated that the notations made of the locations of the Military Intelligence Regional IV Headquarters in the Columbus, Ohio Field Office of Military Intelligence are apparently correct on the map, however, both of these locations are in the telephone directory and the location would be readily determined by anyone. [REDACTED] advised his office could furnish no additional identification concerning the map.

On May 3, 1971, [REDACTED] supra, advised that his office had been unable to determine any further information concerning attached map.

On May 3, 1971, [REDACTED] supra, advised that his office had been unable to determine any information which would further identify the map.

On May 3, 1971, a confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, and is familiar with VAW activities in the Columbus, Ohio area, viewed a copy of the map and advised he could furnish no information concerning the map. He stated he had [REDACTED] and had not previously viewed the map. This source stated that it was his opinion that the map may have been intentionally prepared by

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members of the VAW and left in the Headquarters to be discovered by law enforcement agencies. This source attached no significance to the map and said that the VAW has not participated in or planned any violent activities. Source volunteered to visit the VAW Headquarters and attempt to determine the location and the significance of the map.

On [REDACTED] advised that he had visited the VAW Headquarters, OSU, Columbus, Ohio, and viewed the original copy of the map located on the wall of the VAW Office. Source stated that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised him that anyone in the organization can make notations or symbols on the map and that these symbols and notations would be meaningless. [REDACTED] stated that the map has no appropriate significance other than being used as a "scratch pad". [REDACTED]

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ANTI WAR DEMONSTRATION AT NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, MAY TWENTY  
NINE, NINETEEN SEVENTY ONE, SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR: INTERNAL SECURITY - MISCELLANEOUS (VIDEM)

TODAY A SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN  
THE PAST ADVISED THAT VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
NEW JERSEY CHAPTER, HEADED BY DON SMARTT, PLAN AN ANTI WAR  
DEMONSTRATION ON MAY TWENTY NINE, NINETEEN SEVENTY ONE. PLANS  
CALL FOR VETS AND SUPPORTERS TO ASSEMBLE ON SEVERAL AS YET  
UNCHOSEN MAIN ROUTES INTO NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, AND MARCH TO  
MILITARY PARK, DOWNTOWN NEWARK, WHERE A RALLY WILL BE HELD.  
SPEAKERS FOR RALLY ARE NOT YET KNOWN. DURING MARCH INTO NEWARK,  
PARTICIPANTS WILL HOLD MOCK "GUERRILLA THEATRE" WITH TOY GUNS,  
ACTING OUT WAR ATROCITIES. NO VIOLENCE, CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE  
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OR TRAFFIC TIE UP IS PLANNED, BUT SOURCE ADVISED LEADERS ARE NOT PLANNING TO PREVENT ANY TRAFFIC TIE UP WHICH MAY OCCUR.

TODAY, A SECOND SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT VVAW HAS OBTAINED A PERMIT FROM CITY OF NEWARK FOR ABOUT TWO HUNDRED PERSONS TO ASSEMBLE AT MILITARY PARK, NEWARK, FOR A RALLY WITH UNSPECIFIED SPEAKERS AND ACTIVITIES, FOR THREE PM TO FIVE PM, MAY TWENTY NINE, NINETEEN SEVENTY ONE. PERMIT WAS ISSUED AT REQUEST OF VVAW, INCORPORATED, TWO FOUR NINE MORRIS AVENUE, ELIZABETH, NEW JERSEY, PHONE TWO ZERO ONE - THREE FIVE FIVE - FOUR THREE THREE THREE.

SECRET SERVICE, ONE ZERO EIGHTH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE GROUP AND NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT, ALL NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, COGNIZANT.

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FIRST SOURCE IS [REDACTED] b7c

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SECOND SOURCE IS NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, POLICE DEPARTMENT, [REDACTED] INTELLIGENCE UNIT.

TEXT OF ABOVE FURNISHED SECRET SERVICE AND ONE ZERO EIGHTH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE GROUP. NO LHM.

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TO DIRECTOR

JACKSONVILLE

FROM TAMPA (100-NEW)

WINTER SOLDIER INVESTIGATION AND POSSIBLE ANTI-WAR  
MARCH ON STATE CAPITOL SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR AND SUPPORTED BY STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE (SMC),  
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, MAY FIFTEEN, NINETEEN SEVENTY ONE.  
VIDEM. STAG. INTERNAL SECURITY - MISCELLANEOUS.

RE JACKSONVILLE TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR AND TAMPA, MAY  
THIRTEEN, SEVENTYONE.

CONTACT LOGICAL SOURCES TAMPA DIVISION HAS DEVELOPED  
AND INFORMATION REGARDING INDIVIDUALS TRAVELING FROM TAMPA  
AREA TO PARTICIPATE IN CAPTIONED DEMONSTRATION. CONTACT  
BEING MAINTAINED WITH SOURCES AND JACKSONVILLE WILL BE  
ADVISED OF ANY PERTINENT INFORMATION DEVELOPED. -P-

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FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-171160)

SUBJECT: WINTER SOLDIER INVESTIGATION  
IS-INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are 11 copies of an LHM, captioned and dated as above, concerning a proposed march and Winter Soldier Investigation in Queens, NY, and Garden City, NY, on 5/22-23/71, sponsored by the Vietnam Veterans Against the War.

Sources used in the LHM are as follows:

1st source

2nd source

SA [redacted] who attended hearings of National Veterans Inquiry into US War Crimes Policy sponsored by the National Committee for a Citizens Commission of Inquiry on US War Crimes in Vietnam, WDC, 12/2/70 (deemed advisable)

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[redacted] furnished information on the VVAW  
to SA [redacted] in the NYO. U b7c

[redacted] NYCPD, 109th Pct., furnished  
information to SA [redacted] U

The representative of the NYCPD, Security and  
Investigations Section (SIS), who furnished information  
on 5/12/71 is [redacted] who was contacted by SA  
[redacted] b7c

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WILLIAM WAGNER, Chief of Police, Floral Park, NY,  
furnished information on 5/12/71 to SA [redacted] b7c

Military intelligence agencies in NYC advised. b7c

LEADS:

NEW YORK

AT QUEENS, NEW YORK. Will afford coverage of march  
of VVAW, 5/22/71, originating at the Quaker Meeting Hall,  
Main St. and Northern Boulevard. U

AT GARDEN CITY, NEW YORK. Will afford coverage of  
march of VVAW, 5/22/71, into Garden City. U

2. Will afford coverage of Winter Soldier  
Investigation at the Grand Ballroom of the Garden City Hotel  
on 5/23/71. U

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This LHM is being classified, "Confidential" in  
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protect the investigative technique of second source. U  
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New York, New York

May 14, 1971

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Winter Soldier Investigation

On April 23, 1971, [redacted]

[redacted] New York, N.Y., voluntarily  
furnished the following information concerning the Vietnam  
Veterans Against the War (VVAW), 156 5th Avenue, New York  
City (NYC):

The VVAW is an organization composed of veterans  
of the war in Vietnam with a national headquarters  
at 156 5th Avenue, NYC, whose first published  
objective is as follows:

"To demand an immediate cessation of fighting  
and the withdrawal of all American troops from  
Indochina. We cannot allow one more human  
being to be killed in Indochina."

About [redacted] previously, he had joined the  
VVAW and was a [redacted] national [redacted] of the VVAW to  
attend meetin [redacted] of the VVAW [redacted] ter in [redacted]

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# Winter Soldier Investigation

[REDACTED] one of the matters discussed was the [REDACTED] of a march and a Winter Soldier Investigation (WSI) that is a hearing into alleged atrocities committed by United States (US) servicemen in Vietnam on May 22, 1971. The march was to begin at the Quaker Meeting House and would end at a hotel in Garden City, Nassau County, NY, where the WSI would be held. At this meeting, no firm plans were made concerning the march and the WSI. U

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[REDACTED] confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, had [REDACTED] that a [REDACTED]

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At this meeting, a discussion was held concerning preparations for a march and a small "War Crimes Tribunal" to be held by the Long Island, NY, VVAW on May 22 and 24, 1971. It was mentioned that the Long Island VVAW will march on May 22, 1971, which will be followed by a WSI on May 24, 1971. U

The VPV is self-described as a veterans organization which has one purpose, that being, to speak out for peace in Vietnam. U

A leaflet, announcing these activities was exhibited which indicated that the sponsor is the Queens VVAW, 229-15 88th Avenue, Queens Village, NY. The march will originate at the Quaker Meeting House, Main Street and Northern Boulevard, Flushing, Queens, NY, on May 22, 1971, and will terminate at the Unitarian Church, Stewart Avenue and Mission Boulevard, Garden City, Nassau County, NY. It will begin at 8:00 a.m. The purpose of the march is to dramatize to the American people the tactics used in Vietnam. U

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The WSI billed as "an inquiry into war crimes and overall American policy in Vietnam" will take place in the Grand Ballroom of the Garden City Hall, Garden City, NY. It will begin at 10:00 a.m. and will end at 7:00 p.m. It was mentioned that the activities will cost the VVAW about \$1,000. This sum has been raised by the VVAW of Long Island. U

The "Queens Address-Telephone Directory" dated April 7, 1971, lists [REDACTED] Queens, NY, as the subscriber to [REDACTED] phone number [REDACTED] at that address. U

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# Winter Soldier Investigation

On October 15, 1970, [redacted]  
New York City Police Department (NYCPD)  
109th Precinct, advised that  
of [redacted]

one of four individuals arrested on October 15, 1970, during a demonstration in the United States Marine Corps Recruiting Station, Northern Boulevard and Main Street, Flushing, Queens, sponsored by the VVAW.

The "Long Island Press," a daily newspaper published in Queens, NY, issue of May 9, 1971, page 5, in a news story captioned, "Vietnam Vets Against War to Hold LI March, Hearing" sets out information concerning the proposed march and hearing on March 22 and 23, 1971. This news story follows:

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## Winter Soldier Investigation

# Vietnam Vets Against War To Hold LI March, Hearing

Vietnam Veterans Against the War intend to bring a protest to Long Island, including a march through Queens and Nassau on May 22 and a hearing in Garden City on May 23.

The hearing, dubbed the Winter Soldier Investigation, is to be a full-day inquiry into the nature of military field policies, official and de facto, of all combatants.

"In order to make the average American understand why an organization such as Vietnam Veterans Against the War can exist, he's got to have his face rubbed into the reality of our genocidal prosecution of this war.

"This is why we are grieved to announce our Winter Soldier Investigation," Steve Noetzel of Floral Park, a group spokesman, said.

Included in the investigation, to be held in the Garden City Hotel, will be some 25 Vietnam vets from Long Island who are to give eyewitness testimony of "American-initiated war crimes against the populations of Southeast Asia."

A panel of educators, military experts, psychiatrists, clergy and international law experts is to discuss this testimony.

The march, to heighten public awareness of the investigation, will be a simulated "search and destroy" mission to

show the public how American units sweep through Vietnamese villages.

A company size group of the vets are to participate in the 10-mile march which is to begin in Flushing, proceed along Main Street to Union Turnpike, continue east to Jericho Turnpike, then south on New Hyde Park road, east onto Stewart Avenue and into Garden City.

A final planning session for the activities open to all interested citizens, will be held tomorrow at 8:30 p.m. at the Unitarian Church on Plandome Road, Manhattan.

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Winter Soldier Investigation

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A second confidential source, who was in a position to furnish reliable information, advised that the second day of hearings of the National Veterans Inquiry into United States War Crimes Policy sponsored by the National Committee for a Citizens Commission of Inquiry on United States War Crimes in Vietnam (CCI) was held in the Embassy Room, Dupont Plaza Hotel, Washington, D.C., on December 2, 1970. At this hearing, Steve Noetzel of Floral Park, NY, stated he had served in a Special Forces Detachment in Vietnam from April, 1963 to 1964, and was involved in psychological warfare. Noetzel mentioned that his headquarters were funded by the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA). Noetzel testified to certain observations he had made of the interrogation of prisoners in Vietnam.

The CCI has been characterized as an anti-war group with a New Left political orientation seeking a national inquest into the war crimes question.

On May 12, 1971, a representative of the NYCPD, Security and Investigations Section (SIS), advised that the VVAW will march on May 22, 1971, between 8:00 and 9:00 a.m., from the Quaker Meeting Hall, Flushing to Adelphi College, Garden City, NY. The marchers will stage guerrilla theatre demonstrations along the way, the purpose of which is to give publicity to the WSI to be held at the Garden City Hotel on May 23, 1971, from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. The VVAW have placed \$500 as a deposit on the use of a section of the hotel on May 23, 1971. ~~U~~ b7c

On May 12, 1971, [REDACTED] Floral Park, NY, advised that the VVAW has made reservations for the use of the Grand Ballroom of the Garden City Hotel, Garden City, NY, on May 23, 1971, between 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

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# FRANKLIN COUNTY HIGHWAY MAP



DAVIS ROAD BRIDGE OVER ALUM CREEK

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- COUNTY HIGHWAYS
- TOWNSHIP HIGHWAYS, PRIMARY
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- UNIMPROVED HIGHWAYS AND STREETS
- VILLAGE AND SUBDIVISION STREETS
- LANES, PRIVATE
- COUNTY LINE
- TOWNSHIP LINE
- CORPORATION LINE
- RAILROADS
- APPROXIMATE HOUSE NUMBERS
- POINTS OF INTEREST

## INTERESTING DATA

POPULATION—City of Columbus 391,375  
POPULATION—Franklin County 379,467

AREA—City of Columbus 131 Sq. Mi.  
AREA—Franklin County 352 Sq. Mi.

ASSESSED VALUATION 1948 Real Estate

Public Utilities and Personal Property  
City of Columbus 1,444,334,199  
Franklin County 2,576,832,210

ELEVATION—City of Columbus 777 Feet above Sea Level  
ELEVATION—Franklin County 600 Feet above Sea Level

### GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

Bound and High St., City of Columbus  
Latitude 39° 57' 44" North  
Longitude 82° 09' 01" West

### ROAD MILEAGE—1948 (Exclusive of Municipalities)

State Roads 127.51 Miles  
County Roads 457.53 Miles  
Township Roads 125.33 Miles  
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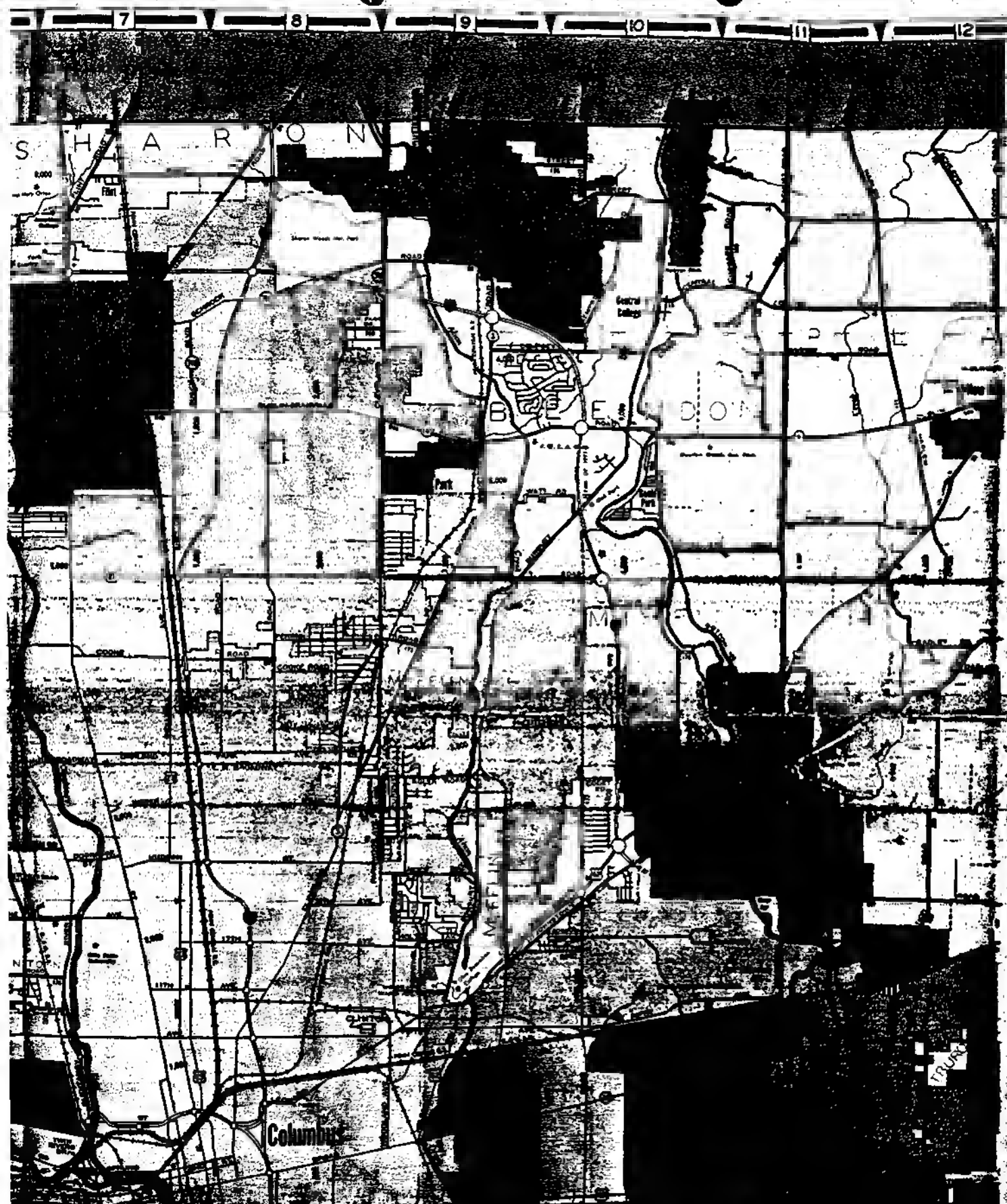
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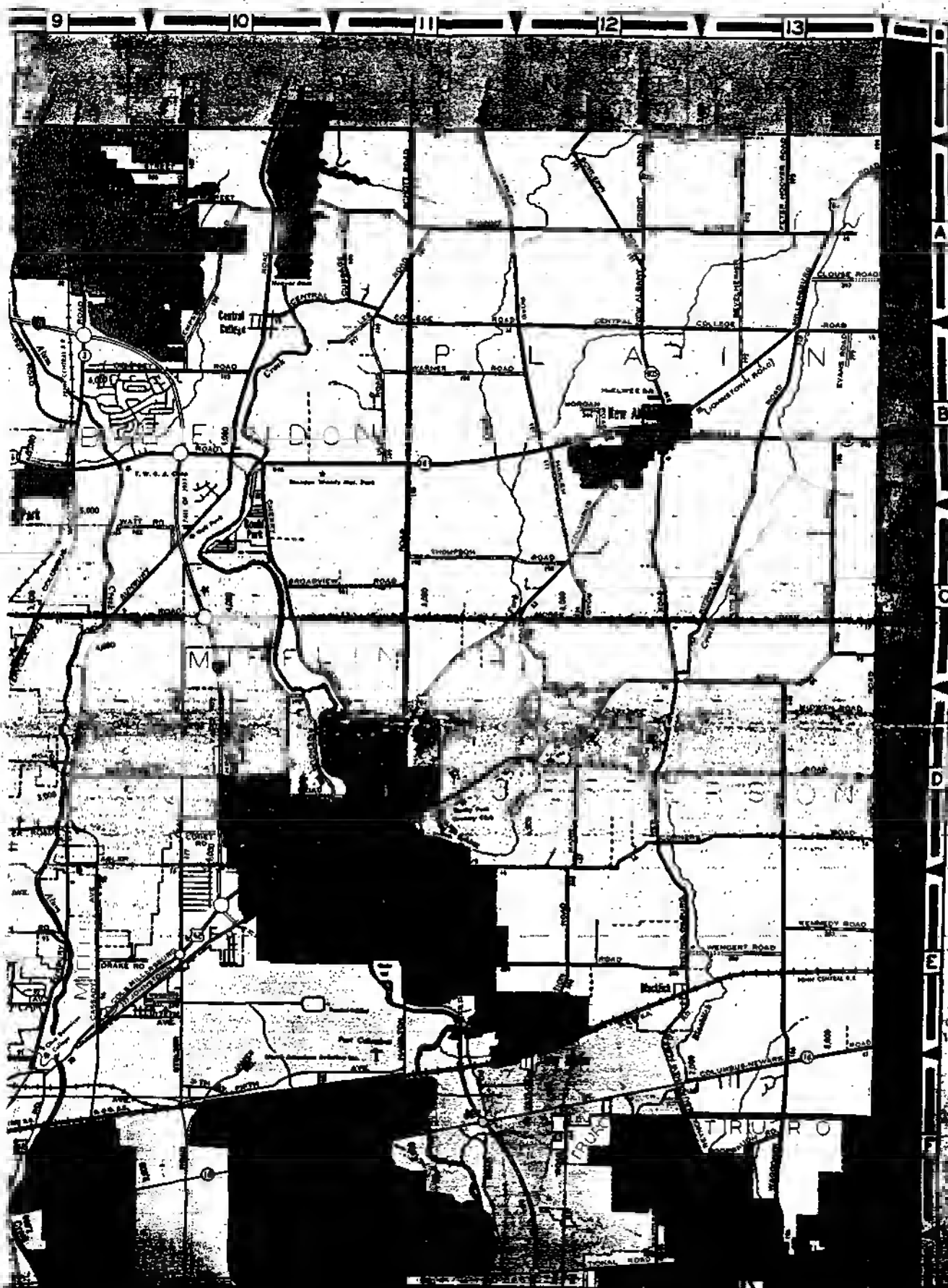




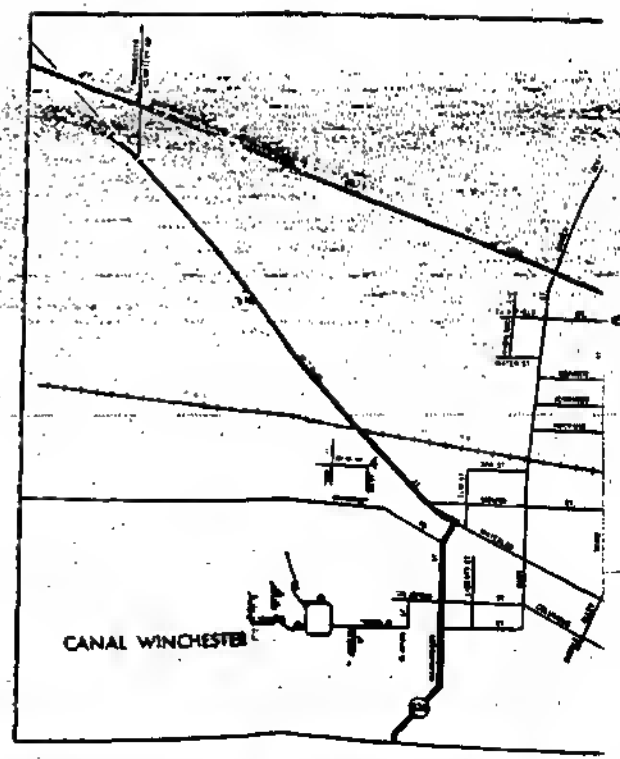
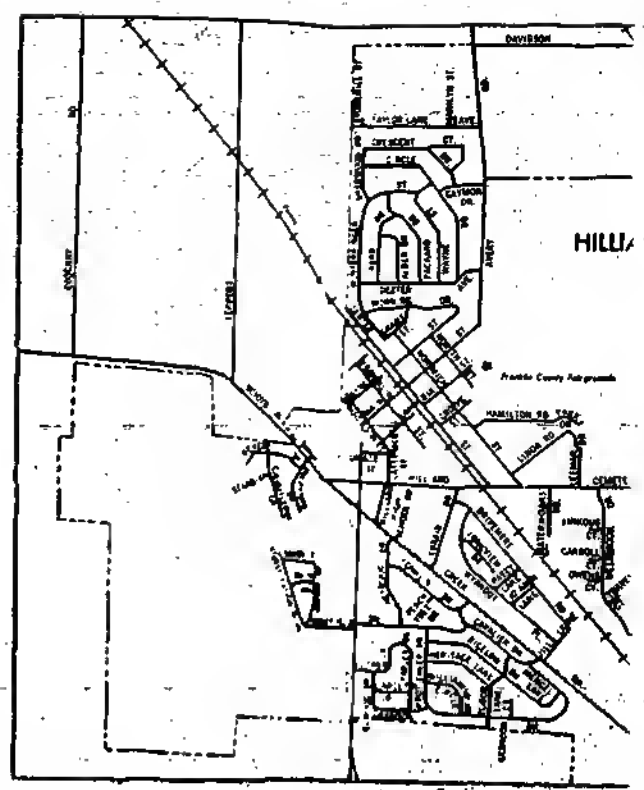
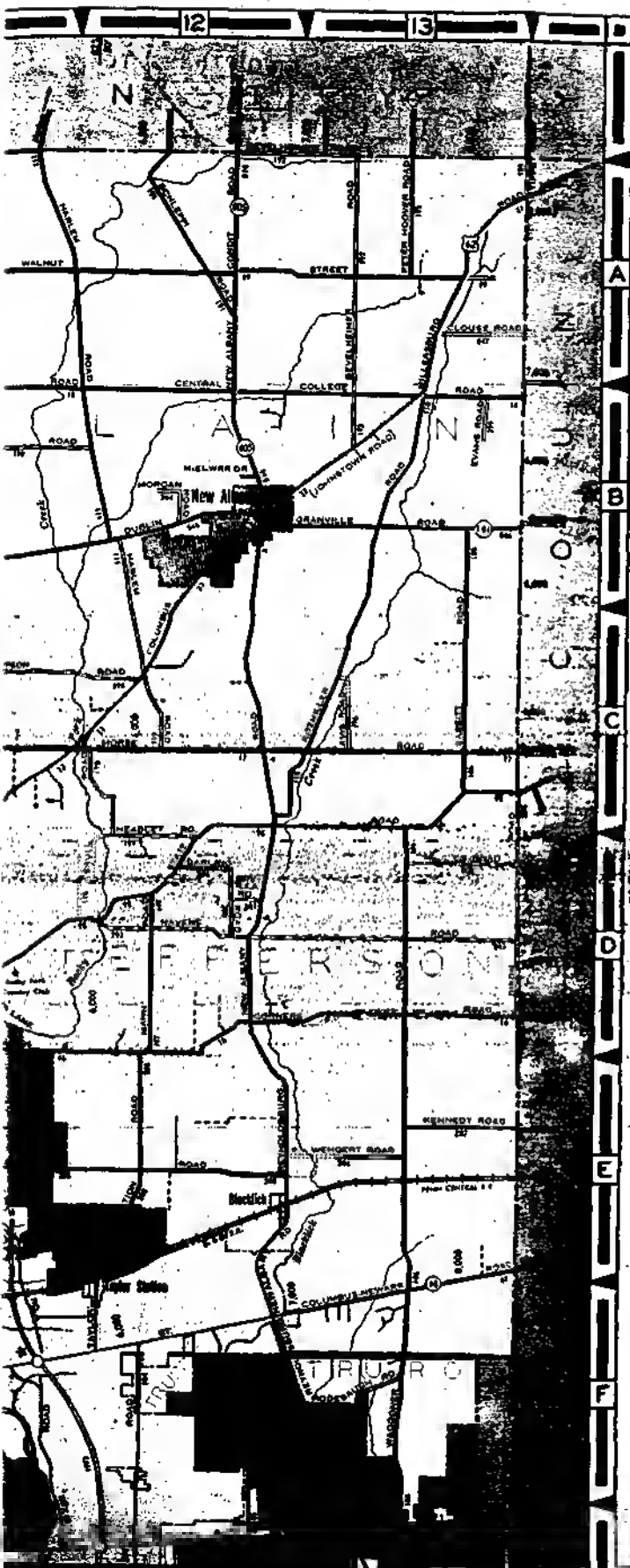
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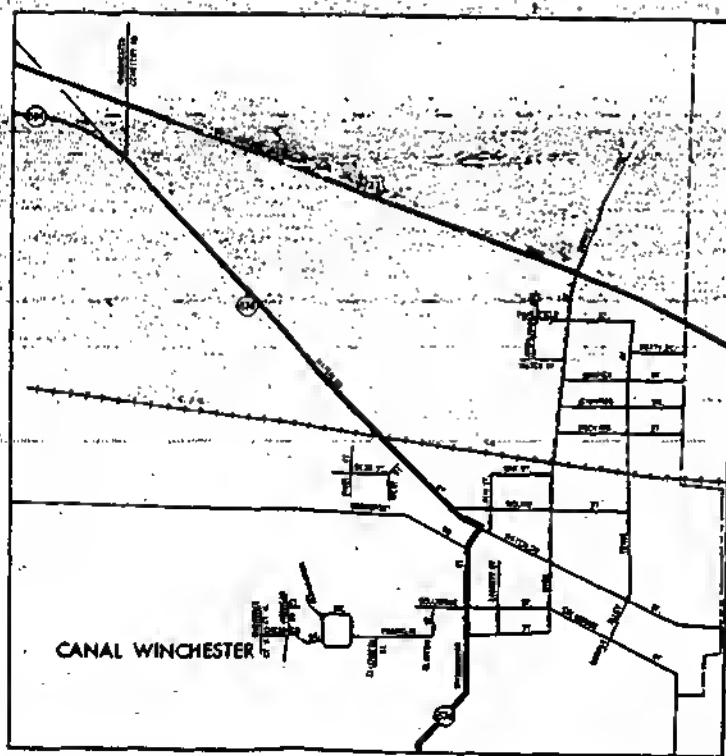
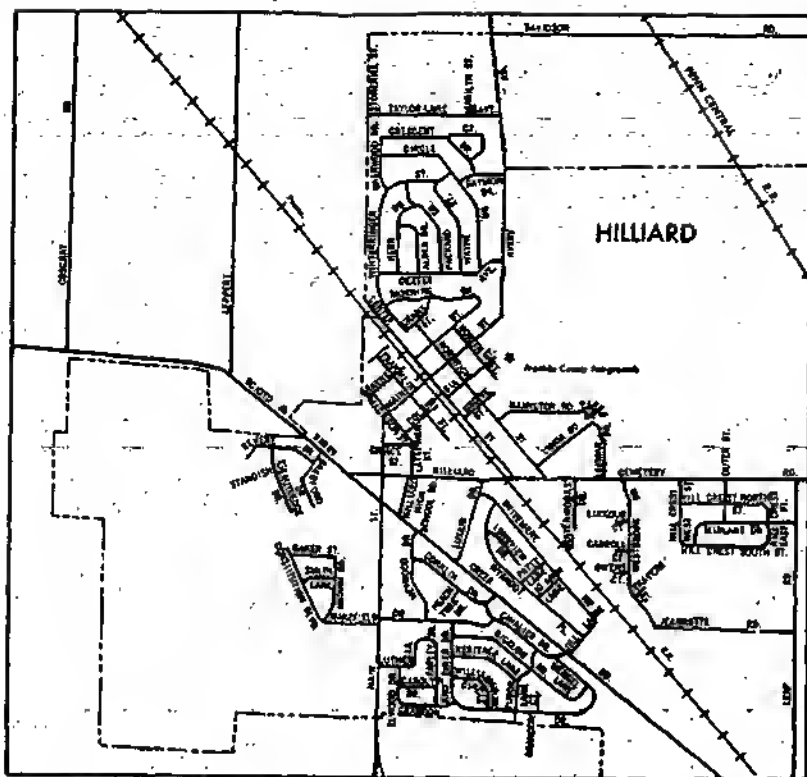








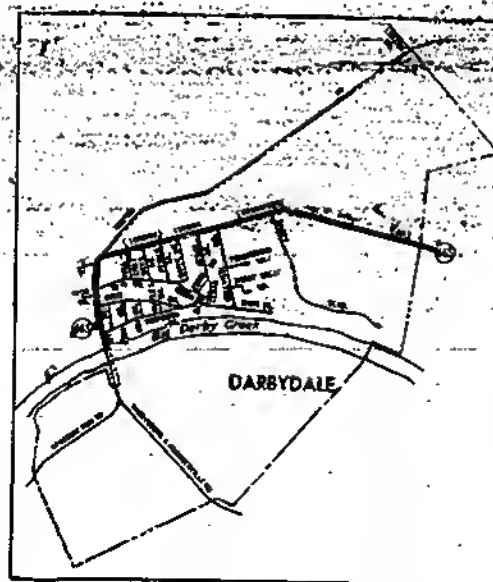
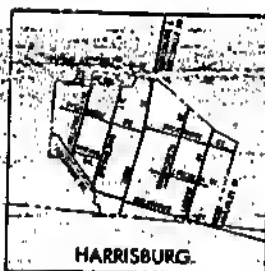
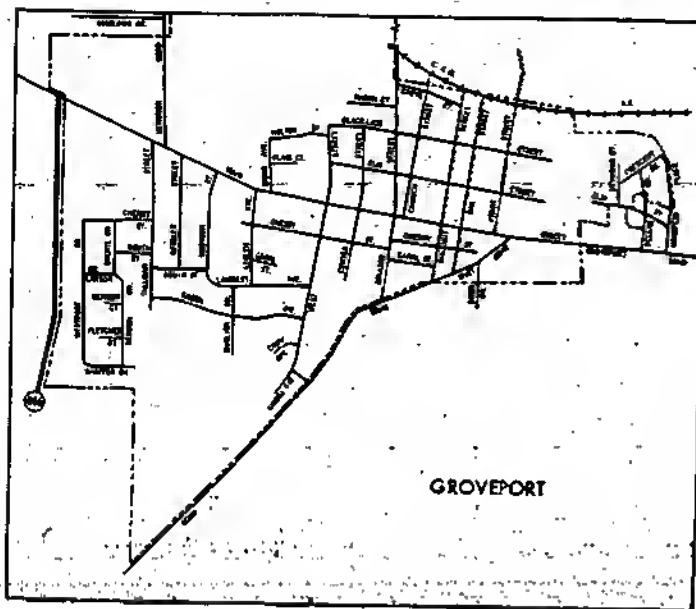
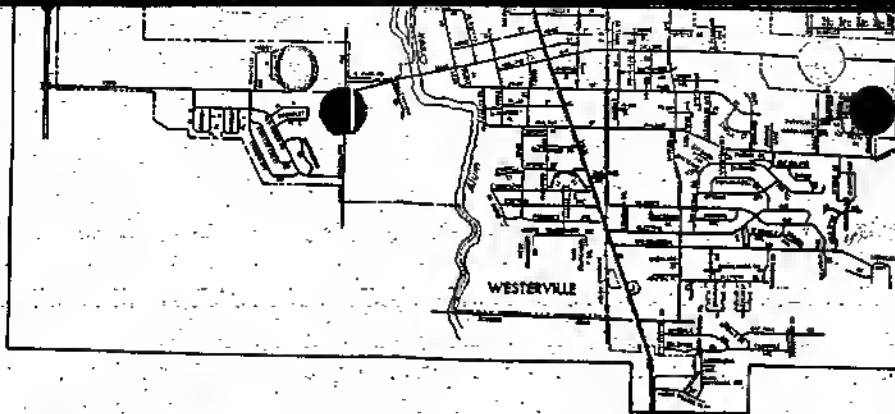


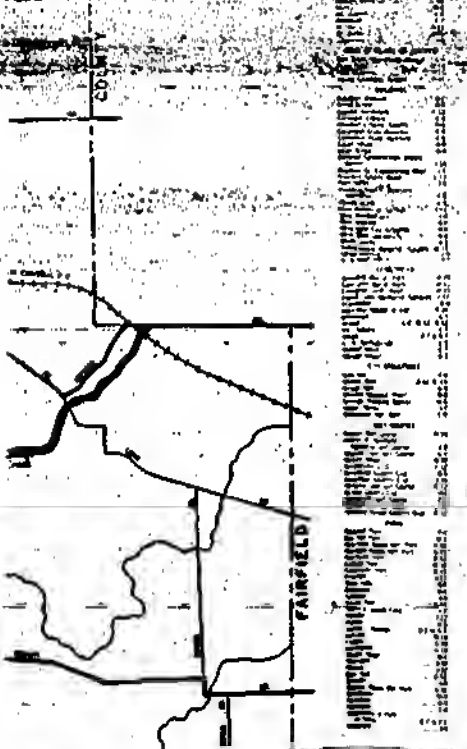
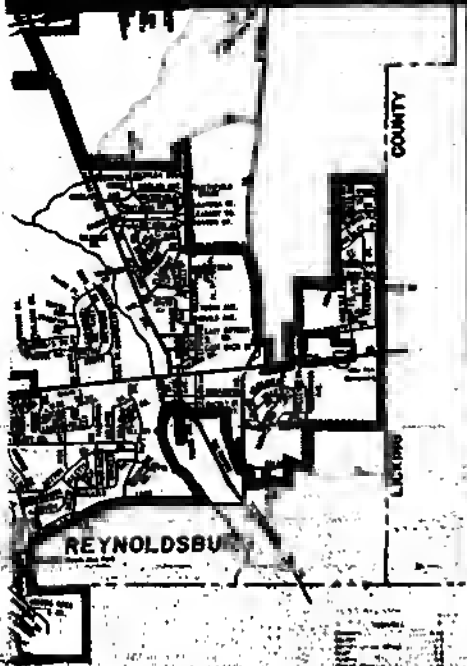




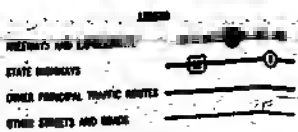








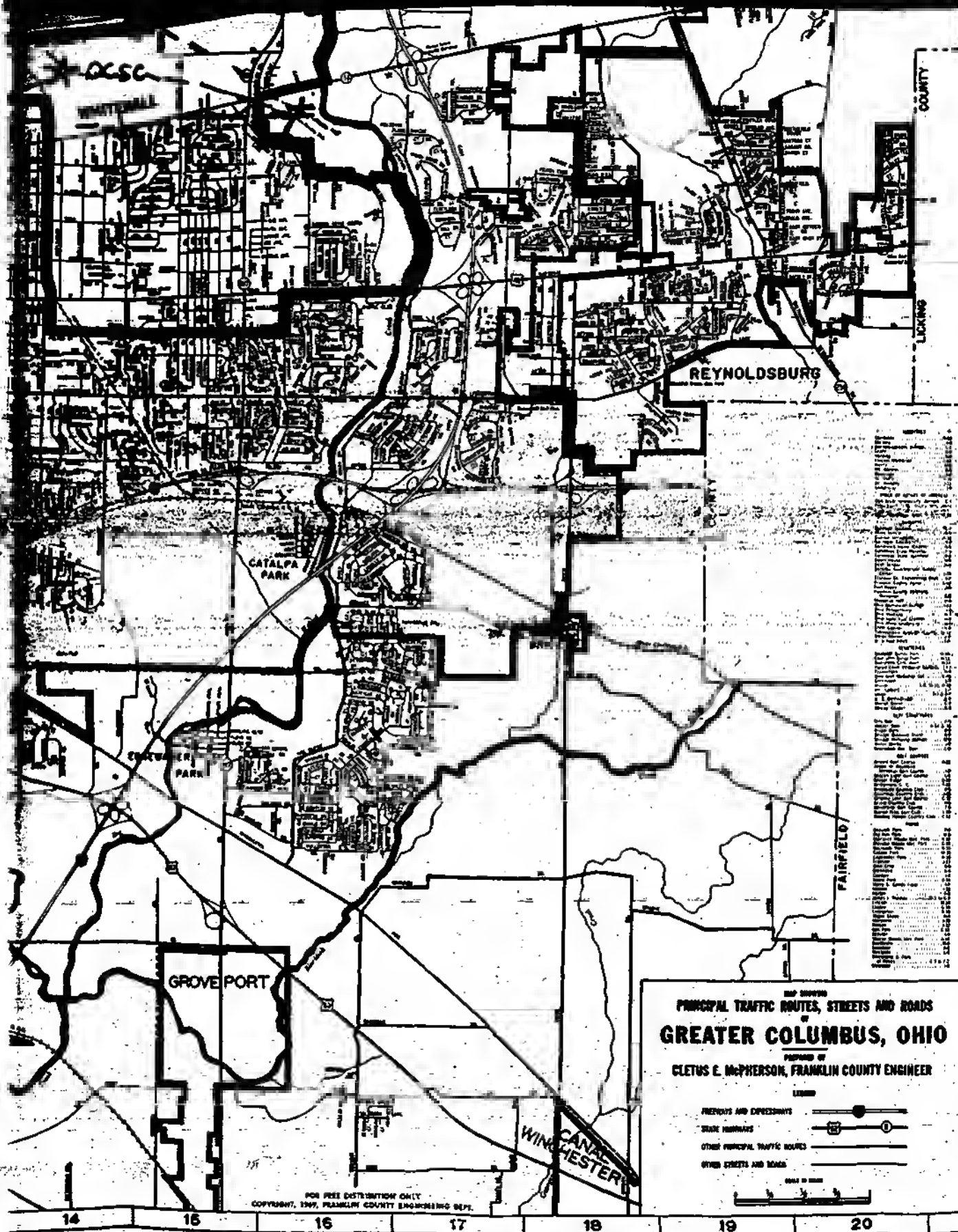
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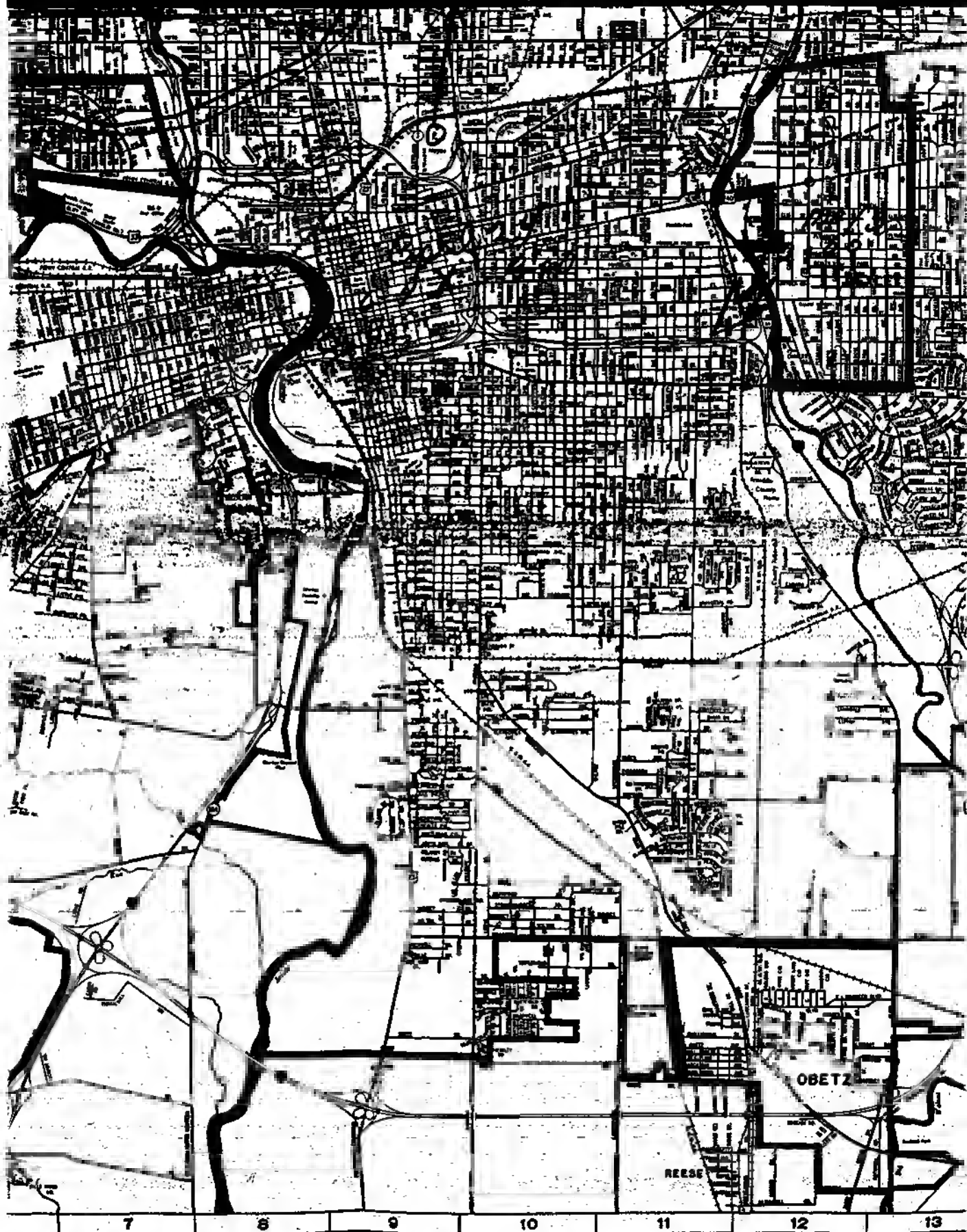
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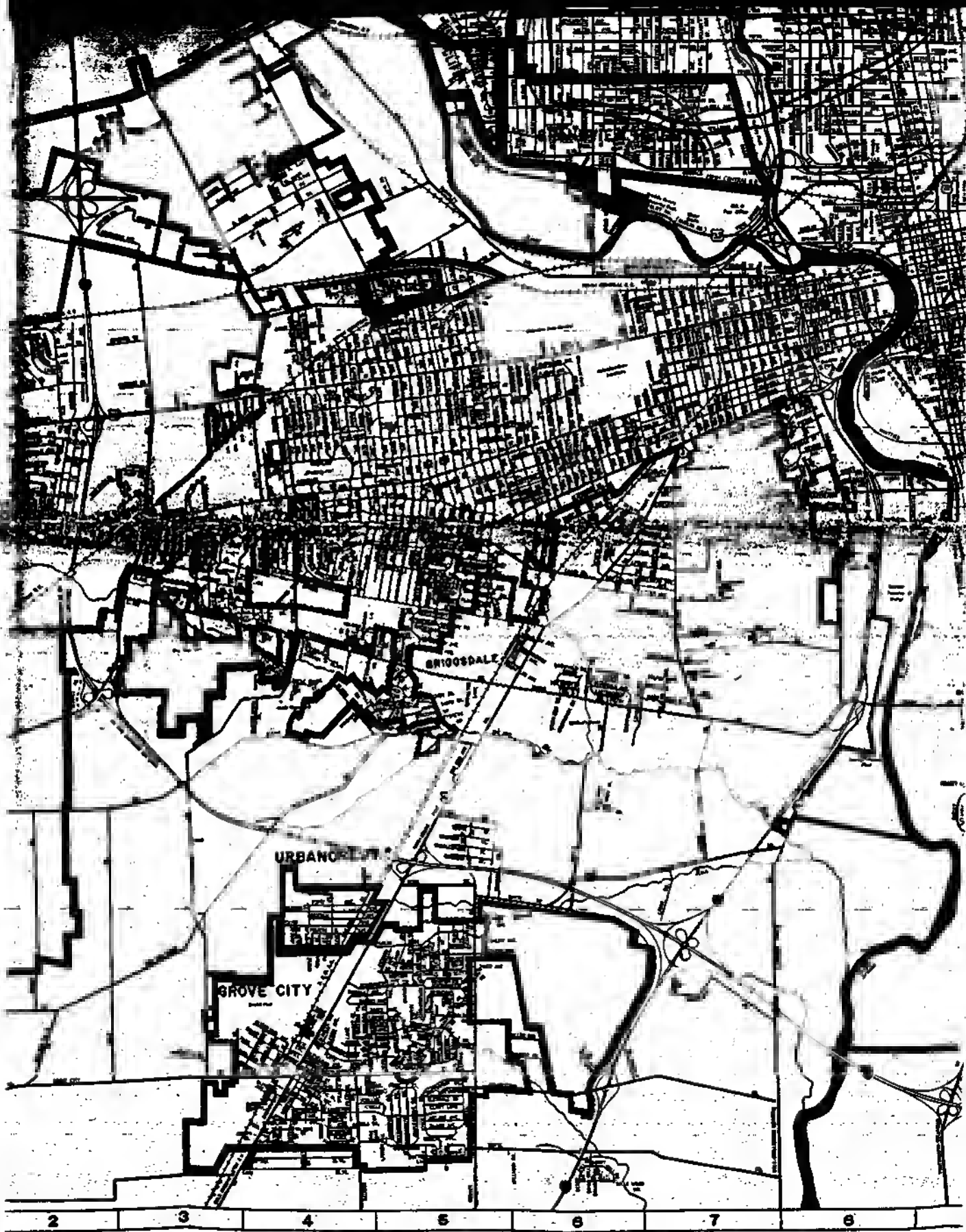




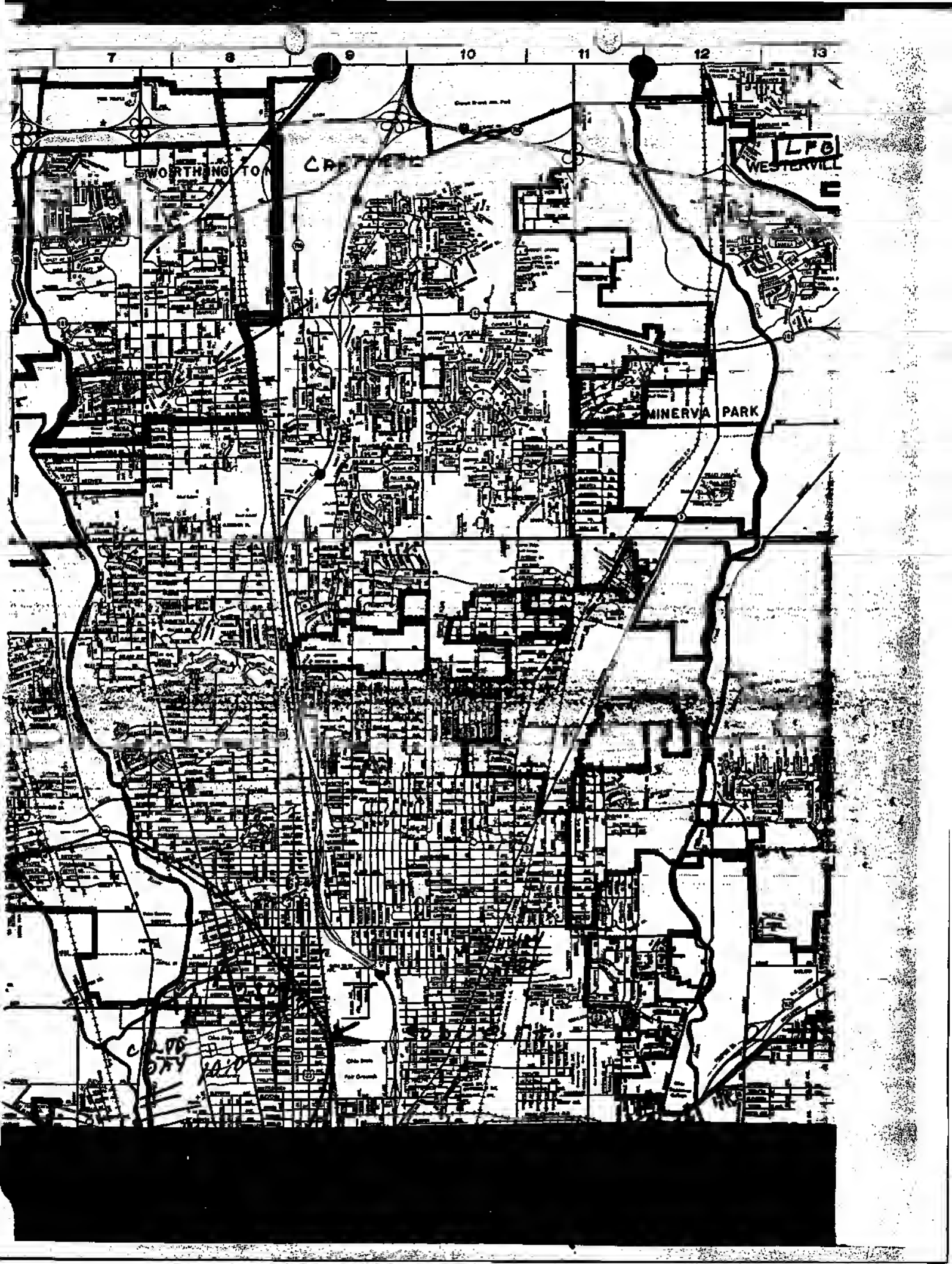




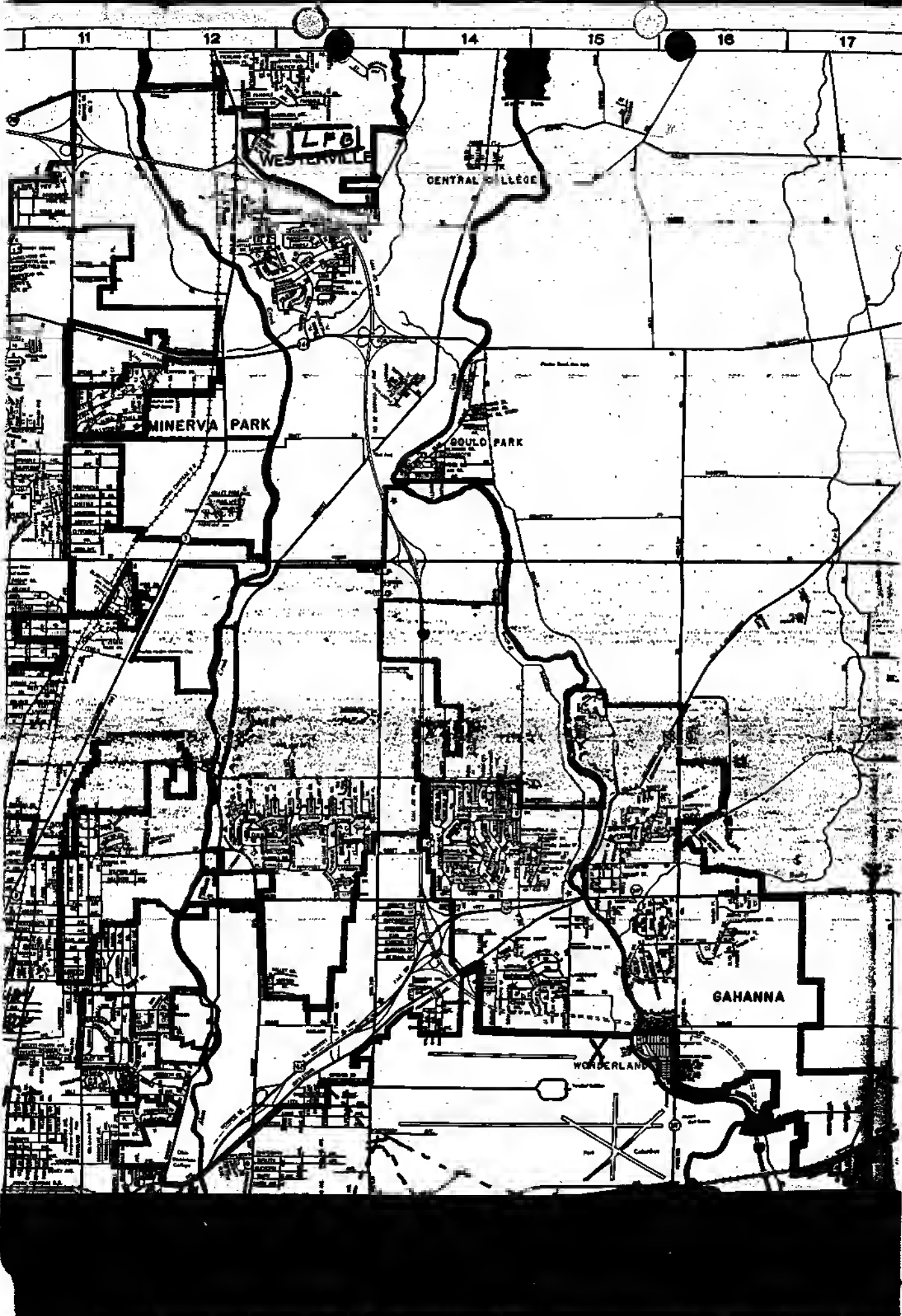


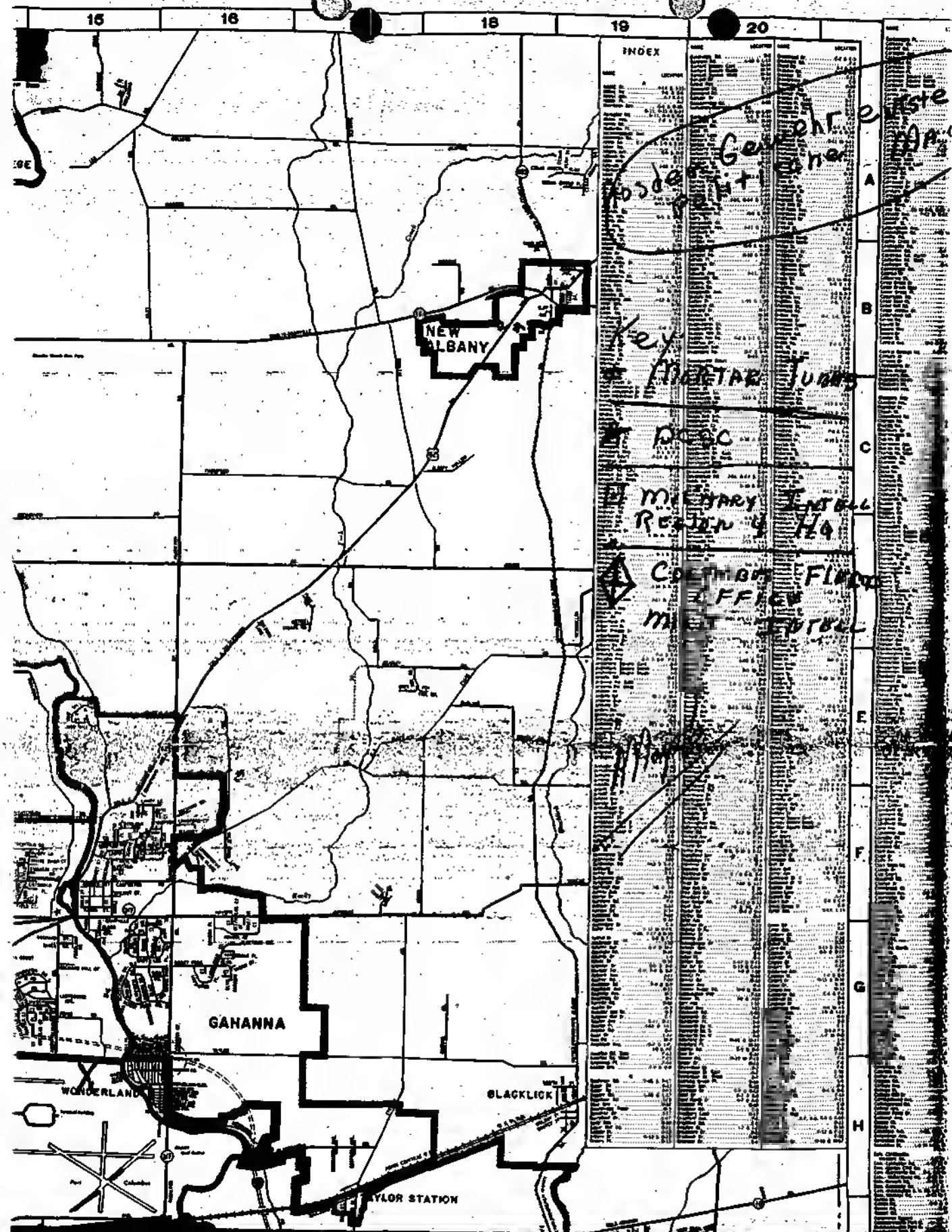
















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SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are seven copies of an LHM, and for New York two copies, captioned and dated as above.

Instant LHM has been disseminated locally to 108th MI Group, Waltham, Massachusetts; NISO, Boston; and OSI, Westover Air Force Base, Massachusetts.

Police Departments of all towns through which instant VVAW march will pass have also been advised verbally on 5/21/71. Boston Police Department and Massachusetts State Police Intelligence Units are cognizant.

Information copies of instant LHM have been designated for the New York Office.

Boston will cover and report results of instant demonstration to the Bureau.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

The May 20, 1971, issue of "Thursday," an independent community newspaper published at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Cambridge, Massachusetts, carried a front page story entitled "Viet Vets Plan Mem. Day Action." The following information was gleaned from this article: u

Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW), the national organization of veterans, is now organizing Operation P.O.W., a patrol maneuver from Concord Bridge to Bunker Hill and the Boston Common over Memorial Day Weekend, May 28-31, 1971. u

Operation P.O.W. will commence Friday, May 28, with a signal of "one if by land, two if by sea, three if by air" from the Old North Church, Boston, Massachusetts. The signal will be received by a veteran in Charlestown who will make his way to Concord, Massachusetts, where a horserider will carry the message to the encampment at the Concord Bridge. Upon receiving the alarm, the VVAW will begin their march, retracing the route of Paul Revere's ride on April 18, 1775. VVAW will be focusing attention on the ideals and principles expressed by the colonists at the time of the American Revolution, indicating that this present time in history is again a time when the people are trying to secure the liberty and peace upon which this country was founded. u

During the march, guerrilla theater "search and destroy operations" will be conducted. The evenings will include military counseling and human liberation workshops. u

The marchers will include over 400 Vietnam veterans, a contingent of wounded Vietnam veterans from the Boston area Veterans Administration hospitals, a contingent of Gold Star mothers, and many active-duty GI's and veterans of all wars. u

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

The march will culminate with an alternative Memorial Day Picnic at the Boston Common at 2:00 p.m., May 31, 1971. The rest of the afternoon will include folk music and theater by the Proposition Theater Group. U

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1:25 AM NITEL 5-16-71

TO DIRECTOR

FROM JACKSONVILLE (100-1821)

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CAPITOL SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR AND SUPPORTED  
BY STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE (SMC), TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, MAY  
FIFTEEN, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE. VIOEM. STAG. INTERNAL SECURITY-  
MISCELLANEOUS.

SOURCES ONE AND TWO WHO HAVE FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN  
THE PAST ADVISED AS FOLLOWS.

AT TWO FIFTEEN PM, MAY FIFTEEN, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE, EIGHTEEN  
STUDENTS CONNECTED WITH THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
IN FLORIDA MARCHED FROM THE J. BYRON DEPARTMENT STORE TO THE STATE  
CAPITOL BUILDING IN TALLAHASSEE. THEY WORE KHAKI UNIFORMS AND CARRIED  
TOY GUNS AND ANTI-WAR SIGNS. THEY WERE JOINED AT THE CAPITOL BY  
ABOUT TEN OTHER STUDENTS, SOME OF WHOM BELIEVED CONNECTED WITH  
STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE (SMC) AT FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY (FSU),  
TALLAHASSEE. THE GROUP PUT ON A BRIEF ANTI-WAR SKIT BEFORE A CROWD  
AT THE CAPITOL, AND THEN DISPERSED WITHOUT INCIDENT. A SIMUL-  
TANEOUS MARCH SPONSORED BY SMC FROM FSU DID NOT MATERIALIZE BECAUSE  
OF INCLEMENT WEATHER OR LACK OF SUPPORT.

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SOURCES NUMBER THREE AND FOUR WHO HAVE FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED VVAW CONDUCTED A WINTER SOLDIERS INVESTIGATION AT BELLAMY HALL FROM SEVEN THIRTY PM TO ELEVEN THIRTY PM, MAY FIFTEEN, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE. ABOUT SEVENTYFIVE PERSONS ATTENDED THE AFFAIR, WHERE ANTI-WAR FILMS WERE SHOWN AND A PANEL DISCUSSION HELD, DURING WHICH VETERANS TOLD OF ALLEGED WAR ATROCITIES. THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS. *u*

LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT COGNIZANT. SECRET SERVICE, JACKSONVILLE BEING ADVISED. *u*

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE JACKSONVILLE TELETYPE, MAY THIRTEEN, LAST.

LHM FOLLOWS.

SOURCES KNOWN TO JACKSONVILLE.

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 5/21/71

FROM : SAC, WFO [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] aka [REDACTED]

11/16/93  
CLASSIFIED BY [REDACTED]  
DECLASSIFY ON: [REDACTED]

Re WFO airtel to the Bureau, dated 3/12/71, captioned "VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW); IS - MISCELLANEOUS," and Bureau airtel to Alexandria, dated 5/7/71, captioned [REDACTED] MISC - INFO CONCERNING."

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight copies of an LHM captioned and dated as above.

Sources contacted re the subject were:

Source	Date Contacted	Agent
[REDACTED]	4/28/71	SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	4/26/71	SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	4/30/71	SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	5/6/71	SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	4/22/71	SA [REDACTED]

The file review at the Metropolitan Police Department, WDC, was conducted by SC [REDACTED] on 4/26/71.

The file review at the U. S. Park Police, WDC, was conducted by SC [REDACTED] on 4/23/71.

The file review at The Credit Bureau, Incorporated, WDC, was conducted by SA [REDACTED]

Due to the receipt of the referenced Bureau airtel to Alexandria, no further investigation is being conducted in this matter.

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not disseminated  
no subversive info

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A confidential source, with whom contact has been insufficient to determine reliability, furnished a list of six individuals whom he identified as members of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War. This information was furnished on January 20, 1970, and the list included the name [REDACTED] Washington, D. C. (WDC). [REDACTED]

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Other sources familiar with New Left and anti-war activities in the WDC area were contacted regarding [REDACTED] but could furnish no information concerning him.

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The files of the Metropolitan Police Department, WDC, United States Park Police, WDC, and The Credit Bureau, Incorporated, WDC, were searched but no records identifiable with [REDACTED] could be located.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 5/25/71

FROM : SAC, MEMPHIS (100-5804) (C)

SUBJECT: DEMONSTRATIONS SPONSORED BY  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW),  
WASHINGTON, D.C.,  
4/18-23/71  
VIDEM

Sources available to the Memphis Office were contacted on 4/7/71 and 4/12/71 regarding captioned demonstrations and these sources furnished no information concerning individuals and/or groups planning to travel to Washington, D. C., during the period 4/18-23/71 to participate in these demonstrations.

This case is being placed in a closed status in the Memphis Office.

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 5/25/71

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (100-30733) (P\*)

SUBJECT: "CHANGED"  
VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON  
IS - MISCELLANEOUS

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The title is marked "CHANGED" to add the words  
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON to differentiate this group from other  
units of the same organization which are operative throughout  
the United States.

Re Bureau letter to Seattle, 1/29/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau are ten (10) copies of  
an LHM concerning captioned organization. The LHM is  
classified CONFIDENTIAL because information from some of  
the sources, if disclosed, might compromise regular informants  
of continuing value.

The sources are as follows:

First source is [REDACTED] b2 b7D

Second source is [REDACTED] b7c

Third source is [REDACTED] (REQUEST).

The activities of this organization will be  
followed and periodic LHMs will be submitted at six month  
intervals.

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(4) [REDACTED] b7c

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Seattle, Washington  
May 25, 1971

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DATE 11/28/93 BY 603 **b7c**

RE: VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VAW)  
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

I. ORGANIZATION

Address **b7c**

On October 16, 1970, a source reported that literature of the Veterans Against the War (VAW) distributed at Seattle, Washington, indicated more information could be obtained from DON TREESE, 4134 Brooklyn N.E., Seattle, WA 98105, telephone ME 2-4731.

On May 8, 1971, a second source made available a leaflet distributed on the campus of the University of Washington (UW), Seattle, on May 5, 1971 which was captioned Veterans Against the War. Recipients of the leaflet were invited to contact the following for more information:

DON, LA 4-9040

MIKE, EA 3-9197

The 1971 Seattle Telephone Directory indicates LA 4-9040 is listed to DON TREESE, 5262 - 15th N.E., Seattle; and EA 3-9197 is listed to MICHAEL DEDRICK, [redacted] Seattle, [redacted].

B. Officers

The March, 1971 "Newsletter" of the VAW indicated DON TREESE, 5262 - 15th N.E., telephone (206) LA 4-9040, Seattle, Washington, was then the regional coordinator for the VAW in the State of Washington.

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served in the U. S. military. Veterans of all services are welcome to join in VAW activities. VAW demands an immediate withdrawal of all U. S. forces from Southeast Asia. "We also demand an immediate end to the Draft and we support the active duty GI's in their struggle to win their constitutional rights."

#### D. Meeting Place

The same leaflet reported that VAW meets each Thursday at 8:00 p.m. in the HUB (the student union building) on the campus of the UW. U

#### E. Funds

On April 18, 1971, [REDACTED] Passenger Service Office, United Airlines, Seattle, Washington, reported the VAW in care of [REDACTED] New York City, telephone [REDACTED] gave a ticket to the United Airlines at the Eastside Terminal, 37th Street and First Avenue, Manhattan, New York, for 25, prepaid, no-name, excursion-rate round-trip fares valued at \$255 each for delegates coming to a Vietnam War protest demonstration at Washington, D.C. Among those departing from Seattle was DON TREESE. U

## II. CONNECTIONS WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

### A. Pacific Northwest New Mobilization to End the War in Vietnam (New Mobe)

The New Mobe was reported in the "University of Washington Daily," a student newspaper published at Seattle on 7/9/70 as being a coalition group including such organizations as the VAW. Some of the groups in the coalition were for a single issue program of protest against the war in Vietnam whereas other organizations desire to adopt a multi-issue platform which would deal with the war,

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imperialism in general, welfare,  
unemployment, repression of  
minorities, etc. *u*

On July 20, 1970, a third source made available a New Mobe leaflet which indicated that the VAW, 4134 Brooklyn N.E., #C, Seattle, 98105, was one of the organizations represented in the New Mobe. *u*

B. GI Alliance (GIA)

On April 22, 1971, the "University of Washington Daily" reported five members of the GIA spoke at a VAW press conference held the previous day on the campus of the UW. The five spoke of their involvement with the GI anti-war movement, their feelings about the controversial CALLEY trial, and they voiced "100 percent support for the People's Peace Treaty." *u*

The article stated further that the GIA is a coalition of anti-war servicemen from Fort Lewis, McChord Air Force Base, and the Bremerton Naval Yard in the State of Washington. *u*

III. VAW ACTIVITIES

On October 16, 1970, the "Seattle Post-Intelligencer" reported the VAW announced the previous evening that the group will lead a peace march in Seattle, Washington, on the following October 31 and will stage a "guerrilla theater" during the demonstration. DONALD TREESE, 4134 Brooklyn Avenue N.E., a spokesman for the group, said he expects 200 to 300 veterans to take part. *u*

On November 26, 1970, the "Seattle Post-Intelligencer" reported DON TREESE of the VAW was one of the speakers at a rally on the campus of the UW the previous day which was attended by about 200 persons to protest the war in Vietnam. *u*

On April 18, 1971, *b7c b7d* of United Airlines at Seattle reported seven individuals departed from

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SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

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Seattle on April 18 en route to Washington, D. C. in connection with some Vietnam War protest demonstrations being held in that city during the following few days. u

Copies of this communication were furnished to the U. S. Attorney, U. S. Secret Service, and the intelligence agencies of the Army, Navy, and Air Force covering the Seattle area. u

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Seattle, Washington  
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Title            VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VAW)  
                  SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

Character

Reference       Communication dated and  
                  captioned as above at  
                  Seattle, Washington

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities  
are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable  
information in the past.



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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 5/27/71

FROM : SAC, KNOXVILLE (100-4270) (RUC)

SUBJECT: DEMONSTRATIONS SPONSORED BY VIETNAM  
VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW),  
WASHINGTON, D.C., APRIL 18-23, 1971  
VIDEM

Re Bureau airtel to Albany 4/1/71.

Logical sources, Knoxville Division, contacted, however, no information received that any individuals or groups from this division participated in captioned demonstration Washington, D.C.

In view of the above, no further action being taken in this matter.

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FROM JACKSONVILLE (100-1745) (RUC)

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
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Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan	CD
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Dalbey	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
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Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Soyars	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), GUERRILLA THEATER, EOLAN PARK, ORLANDO, FLORIDA, MAY TWENTY-NINE, SEVENTY-ONE, IS - MISCELLANEOUS VIOEM.

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED THAT HE HAD NOT RECEIVED ANY INFORMATION THAT SCOTT CAMIL OR OTHER INDIVIDUALS FROM GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA, PLAN TO ATTEND A VVAW GATHERING IN ORLANDO, FLORIDA, ON MAY TWENTY-NINE, SEVENTY-ONE. SOURCE NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT CAMIL AND OTHERS FROM GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA, COULD TRAVEL TO ORLANDO, FLORIDA, ON MAY TWENTY-NINE, SEVENTY-ONE, FOR ABOVE FUNCTION.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RETPNITEL DATED MAY TWENTY-FIVE, SEVENTY-ONE.

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SOURCE IS

JACKSONVILLE WILL ADVISE IF ANY PERTINENT INFORMATION IS RECEIVED

BY RE ABOVE INDIVIDUALS PLANS TO TRAVEL FROM GAINESVILLE TO ORLANDO ON MAY TWENTY-NINE, NEXT.

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 5/24/71

FROM : SAC, KANSAS CITY (100-14607) C

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR (VVAW) DEMONSTRATION,  
FT. LEONARD WOOD, MISSOURI  
5/16/71  
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ReKCairtel to Bureau, 4/23/71.

On 5/15/71

and [REDACTED] CID,  
Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri, advised no known demonstration  
occurred at Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri, 5/15 or 16/71, by  
the above group.

On 5/19/71, a source, who is in a position to  
provide reliable information, advised that no members of  
the Kansas City chapter of the VVAW participated in a  
demonstration at Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri, on 5/15 or 16/71.  
Source advised members of the St. Louis VVAW traveled to  
Kansas City and both organizations participated in demon-  
strations at Ft. Riley, Kansas, on 5/16/71.

The Bureau was advised of the Ft. Riley demonstration  
by teletype dated 5/17/71, entitled "DEMONSTRATION TO SHOW  
GI - CIVILIAN SOLIDARITY, MAY 15-16, 1971".

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---ATTENTION: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION---

JACKSONVILLE

FROM TAMPA (100-NEW) 3 PAGES

Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Walters \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), GUERRILLA  
THEATER, EOLA PARK, ORLANDO, FLORIDA, MAY TWENTYNINE,  
SEVENTYONE, IS-MISC., VIOEM.

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE  
INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED ON MAY TWENTYFIVE, INSTANT  
THAT THE ORGANIZATION, VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW),  
WHICH CONSISTS OF FIVE TO SEVEN INDIVIDUALS, IS COMING TO ORLANDO,  
FLA., FROM GAINESVILLE, FLA., ON MAY TWENTYNINE, SEVENTYONE  
TO PUT ON A GUERRILLA THEATER IN EOLA PARK. THE INDIVIDUALS  
ARE PURPORTEO TO BE EX-GI'S, BUT WERE NOT FURTHER IDENTIFIED.

THESE INDIVIDUALS WILL BE ACTING AS THOUGH THEY WERE TESTIFYING  
ABOUT WAR ATROCITIES WHICH THEY HAVE WITNESSED. THE SOURCE ADVISED  
THAT JOSEPH ABBOTT ROGERS, COORDINATOR, IN ORLANDO, FLA. OF AN  
UNORGANIZED LOCAL ANTI-VIETNAM WAR GROUP, KNOWN AS THE CENTRAL FLORIDA  
PEACE ACTION COALITION, SECURED A PERMIT FOR THIS GROUP AT EOLA  
PARK, FROM ONE PM TO FIVE PM ON MAY TWENTYNINE, SEVENTYONE.

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THE SOURCE ADVISED THAT ROGER'S GROUP HAS HELD PEACEFUL<sup>L</sup> ANTI-VIETNAM WAR DEMONSTRATIONS IN THE PARK IN THE PAST. THE SOURCE ALSO ADVISED THAT THE STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE (SMC) AT FLORIDA TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY, ORLANDO, FLA., WHICH IS A SMALL INDEPENDENT ANTI-WAR GROUP, RECOGNIZED ON THE CAMPUS, HAD AGREED TO SUPPORT THE EVENT. THE SOURCE ADVISED THAT DUE TO THE LACK OF PUBLICITY AND PRESS INTEREST, IT DOES NOT APPEAR TO BE A LARGE EVENT AT THIS TIME.

ON MAY TWENTY, SEVENTYONE, [REDACTED] ORLANDO, FLA., PD, ADVISED THE CAPTIONED GROUP HAD ATTEMPTED TO SECURE THE USE OF A ROOM IN THE ALBERTSON PUBLIC LIBRARY, ORLANDO, FLA., FOR MAY TWENTYNINE, SEVENTYONE, BUT IT HAD BEEN DENIED. SCOTT CAMIL, COORDINATOR AND GORDON HALL, ASSISTANT COORDINATOR, OF THE VVAW WERE IDENTIFIED. THE GAINESVILLE, FLA. PD FURNISHED INFORMATION TO [REDACTED] WHICH REVEALED CAMIL IS A [REDACTED] MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION [REDACTED] HE WAS DESCRIBED [REDACTED] AS A WHITE MALE [REDACTED] TALL, WEIGHING [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] ITS HOME ADDRESS WAS GIVEN AS

[REDACTED] GORDON WILL WAS

[REDACTED] REPORTED AS A WHITE MALE,

ACCORDING TO THE INFORMATION FROM THE GAINESVILLE, FLA. PD,  
THE CAPTIONED GROUP HAD APPEARED WITH SPEAKERS ON THE UNIVERSITY  
FOR FLORIDA CAMPUS AND THE ABOVE DESCRIBED LEADERS ARE FREQUENTLY  
ACCOMPANIED BY [REDACTED] AN [REDACTED] WHO WERE BOTH

DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALES AND BEING HIPPIE TYPE [REDACTED] OF THE  
ORLANDO, FLA. PD ADVISED THAT JOSEPH ABBOTT ROGERS HAD SOUGHT A PERMIT  
TO USE THE BAND SHELL IN EDLA PARK, ORLANDO, FLA. ON MAY  
TWENTYNINE, SEVENTYONE. HE WAS TO RETURN ON MAY TWENTY,  
SEVENTYONE TO PAY A FIFTY DOLLAR USAGE FEE.

USA, ORLANDO, MI, ORLANDO, FLA., U.S. SS, JACKSONVILLE,  
FLA., AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES ARE BEING ADVISED.

THE ABOVE MENTIONED SOURCE [REDACTED]

BUREAU WILL BE IMMEDIATELY ADVISED OF ANY PERTINENT  
DEVELOPMENTS. NO LHM FOLLOWS. LOCAL DISSEMINATION IS BEING MADE.

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MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

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**TREAT AS YELLOW**

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Date: **6-5-71**☐ IMMEDIATE☐ URGENT☐ NITEL (Field only)

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TO: ☐ THE PRESIDENT☐ THE VICE PRESIDENT☐ ATT.:☐ WHITE HOUSE SITUATION ROOM☐ ATT.:☐ SECRETARY OF STATE☐ DIRECTOR, CIA☐ DIRECTOR, DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY☐ AND NATIONAL INDICATIONS CENTER☐ DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY☐ DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE☐ NAVAL INVESTIGATIVE SERVICE☒ U. S. SECRET SERVICE (PID)☐ ATTORNEY GENERAL (BY MESSENGER)☐ NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY, ATT: SENIOR OPERATION OFFICER☐

From: DIRECTOR, FBI

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Subject:

*Demonstration By Vietnam Veterans  
against the War in Vietnam*

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TO: U.S. SECRET SERVICE (PID)

FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI

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DEMONSTRATION BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, TULSA, OKLAHOMA,  
JUNE FIVE, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE.

CHIEF OF POLICE (COP) JACK PURDIE, TULSA, OKLAHOMA, ADVISED  
JUNE TWO, SEVENTYONE THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR HAVE  
REQUESTED PERMISSION TO CONDUCT AN ANTI-WAR DEMONSTRATION AT TULSA  
ON JUNE FIVE, SEVENTYONE WHEN PRESIDENT NIXON VISITS THE AREA.  
MIKE BEASLEY [REDACTED] b7c

[REDACTED] AND TIM ROSE [REDACTED] b7c

[REDACTED] TULSA REQUESTED

PERMISSION FROM CITY AUTHORITIES TO CONDUCT THE DEMONSTRATION.  
AUTHORITIES GRANTED THE ORGANIZATION PERMISSION TO HOLD THE  
DEMONSTRATION AT CENTRAL PARK OR BOULDER PARK BOTH LOCATED IN THE  
CENTER CITY AREA. THE ORGANIZERS ANTICIPATE FIFTY TO ONE HUNDRED  
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PARTICIPANTS IN THE DEMONSTRATION. PRESIDENT NIXON WILL ARRIVE AT TULSA AIRPORT ON AIR FORCE ONE AT ELEVEN THIRTY AM JUNE FIVE SEVENTYONE. HE WILL PROCEED BY HELICOPTER DIRECTLY TO THE PORT OF CATOOSA APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN MILES NORTHEAST OF TULSA WHERE HE WILL SPEAK AT DEDICATION CEREMONIES. PRESIDENT PLANS TO RETURN TO TULSA AIRPORT BY HELICOPTER AND LEAVE TULSA ABOARD AIR FORCE ONE AT TWELVE FORTYFIVE PM JUNE FIVE, SEVENTYONE. HIS PLANS DO NOT CALL FOR A VISIT TO THE TULSA CENTRAL CITY AREA. U

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COP PURDIE SAID THE ORGANIZATION APPEARS TO BE SEEKING NATIONAL PUBLICITY AND THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT DEMONSTRATORS WILL APPEAR AT THE TULSA AIRPORT OR THE PORT OF CATOOSA RATHER THAN THE PARKS DESIGNATED BY CITY AUTHORITIES. U

LOCAL OFFICES OF SECRET SERVICE, MIG AND USA, TULSA, ADVISED COPY OF THIS COMMUNICATION FURNISHED THEIR AGENCY. U

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) IS-MISC. **b7c**

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED JUNE ONE THAT VVAW ENCAMPMENT, AT BUNKER HILL MONUMENT, CHARLESTOWN, MASSACHUSETTS, DURING NIGHT OF MAY THIRTY-THIRTYONE, AND THEIR RALLY AT BOSTON COMMON, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, MAY THIRTYONE, ALL PART OF THE VVAW OPERATION P.O.W., WERE ORDERLY AND PEACEFUL, AND NO ARRESTS MADE. **b7c**

SOURCE SAID FORMER SENATOR EUGENE MC CARTHY OF MINNESOTA WAS THE PRINCIPAL SPEAKER AT THE RALLY ON BOSTON COMMON AND THE CROWD OF APPROXIMATELY FOUR THOUSAND THERE INCLUDED ABOUT THREE HUNDRED VVAW PERSONNEL. **ST-105 REC-21 100-448092/93**

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DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092) DATE: 5/28/71

SUBJECT:

DEMONSTRATIONS SPONSORED BY  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
WASHINGTON, D.C.,  
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Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 4/1/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau are eleven copies and  
WFO two copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above.

The confidential source who furnished information  
contained in LHM is [redacted] original location of infor-  
mation is [redacted]

The LHM is classified "Confidential" to protect  
the identity of the above informant who furnishes extremely  
valuable information re New Left matters on a regular basis.

A copy of the LHM is being furnished locally to  
Secret Service, New Orleans.

New Orleans indices contain no pertinent identi-  
fiable information re individuals mentioned in LHM.

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DEMONSTRATIONS SPONSORED BY  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE  
WAR (VVAW), WASHINGTON, D.C.,  
APRIL 18 - 23, 1971

On May 24, 1971, a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that six individuals from the New Orleans, Louisiana, area participated in captioned demonstrations. Source made available an article entitled "Veterans Protest Viet War, Get Cold Welcome At Capitol," by Reid Champagne, which appeared in the May 7, 1971, Volume XIII, Number 25 issue of "The Driftwood," the campus newspaper of Louisiana State University in New Orleans. A copy of this article is set forth below. LA.

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# Veterans' Protest Viet Wa Get Cold Welcome At Capit

(Special to THE DUFFWOOD)

By REID CHAMPAGNE

Chanting "bring 'em home, bring our brothers home," the group of Vietnam veterans marched past the headquarters of the Daughters of the American Revolution on their way to the Capitol. A news reporter standing near one woman asked her, "What effect do you think this march will have?"

"Well, I think it will be bad for troop morale."

"But madam," the reporter replied, "these are the troops."

This is a story of one of the most important weeks in the history of the anti-war movement. The veterans who participated helped to raise the image of the peace movement to a level of legitimacy and respectability not achieved by any other group; they did it peacefully, and except for one instance, legally. Told by a participant and not a dispassionate observer, this story cannot be completely objective, nor is it intended to be.

Washington was sunny but chilly the day we arrived. There were six of us from New Orleans: Armand Ruhlman, Lemar Jolchin, Billy, all of whom were Vietnam veterans; Alfred Churchill, a Korean vet, and Carey Dominique, who along with myself, was a non-veteran. After finding a place to crash, a good hot meal, and a bath, we drove to West Potomac Park, located in back of the Washington Monument.

Already, some 200 to 300 combat dressed vets from as far west as California were milling around

the park, some eating, others talking and chugging Boone's Farm apple wine. (By the end of the week I was convinced that this had become the official drink of the revolution). At first I felt alienated, but became more comfortable as I got acquainted with more of the participants. In walking through the crowd I was struck by the number of disabled veterans that were there. Double amputees were pushed around in wheelchairs, others were walking on crutches or artificial legs.

I introduced myself to Bill, a marine vet who told me he was gratified to know non-veterans were there supporting the cause. Bill was wearing his dress blues to which was attached a Bronze Star, a Purple Heart, and a Vietnam Service medal, all of which were given back to the government on Friday. Another badge for Vietnam ser-

vice, his wooden leg, he will to keep. Like the others I, with, I asked Bill if he there might be violence. Like all the others, respon "I just don't know."

At 8:30 a.m. Monday, vet assembled four abreast for the session to Arlington. Led by wheelchair double amput the marchers moved from the Lincoln Memorial and across the Lincoln Mem Bridge.

Hundreds of motorists hon for work passed us; some smiling and many flashed us peace sign. Tourists were snapping pictures of us faster than FBI. The size of the march impressive with the vet count about 1200 and the press reporting upwards to 2000. At one p I asked a policeman what the official police estimate was. "Ab 450," he said matter-of-factly.

The delegation to the wreaths then moved toward the gates of the cemetery. I expected, the gates were immediately shut. Following a short exchange, we soon realized there was little more to be done there. The Gold Star Mothers, visibly shaken, were comforted by two veterans while one angry protester shattered his toy rifle against the gates.

Although some shouted that we should stay and open the cemetery ourselves, most agreed to continue as planned to the Capitol steps and there ask the Congressmen present why war veterans and mothers of sons buried in Arlington were kept from entering.

Along the route back to the Capitol, a car pulled up alongside of us, and a tall blond man dressed



—Armand Ruhlman  
VIETNAM VET  
... love it or leave it?

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**MAY THEY REST IN PEACE**—A Vietnam veteran pays a brief tribute to his buddies who died in the Asian war. The scene is Arlington Cemetery during last week's anti-war demonstrations. —Armand Rushman

In a dark brown business suit jumped out and said he wanted to march with us. He was in town attending a convention of electrical workers, but had decided to join our demonstration because he too had lost a number of buddies in the war. He stayed all week.

The Washington Daily News evening edition carried a front page photograph of the march and headlines which read "Arlington Gates Shut to Viet Vets." The administration had put itself in a

very poor light by its action that day. The news put everyone in a good mood; there was a powerful feeling of solidarity generating among us all. No one seemed concerned with confrontation and more importantly, the prospect of violence.

That night I decided to sleep at the campsite in case anything happened. Fortunately nothing did, and by morning the vets were awake and cleaning up the

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## Veterans' Protest

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area which, incidentally, was well kept all week. I walked around trying to discover what was on peoples' minds.

Feeling impotent with their present tactics, a few were still seriously talking about shutting the city down. At the very least, the vets wanted to go back to Arlington and try again to get in.

Be patient? They have every right to be anything but patient. The military life teaches the necessity of getting a job done and getting it done fast. These vets are in Washington to see this war terminated now, and they are expecting the government to move more rapidly in that direction.

Thursday's highlight was a candlelight procession around the White House. Veterans were joined by thousands who had arrived for

Saturday's massive demonstration.

When we returned to the campsite several vets were standing on the wooden platform holding a large American flag upside down (the international signal of distress) and cast themselves in the path of the World War II incinerator holding the flag at two Jima.

Friday was the finale. All during the morning and afternoon hundreds of vets streamed past a wooden barricade erected around the Capitol grounds and hurled their combat medals and discharge papers onto the lawn.

A young woman held her gold star up for us to see and said: "They gave this gold star to me when my husband died. It's supposed to take his place. See how good it does," and she threw it into the heap of other awards collecting on the lawn.

With the slinging of the last medal, it was announced that this "limited incursion" of Washington was officially over.

While uncompromising in their objective of an immediate end to the Vietnam War, they were equally resolved to using peaceful, non-violent means to achieve their objective.

A poster published by the vets summed it all up. It depicted Abraham Lincoln dressed in full field gear with the inscription: "The world will little note nor long remember what we said here, but it cannot forget what we did here."

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FROM TAMPA (100-2536) (C)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), GUERRILLA THEATER, EOLA PARK,  
ORLANDO, FLORIDA, MAY TWENTY-NINE, SEVENTYONE, IS - MISCELLANEOUS  
VIDEM.

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION  
IN THE PAST ADVISED ON MAY TWENTY-NINE SEVENTY-ONE THAT THE VVAW  
MEETING IN EOLA PARK WAS HELD UNDER A TREE RATHER THAN IN THE BANO-  
STANO DUE TO THE SMALL TURNOUT. SCOTT CAMIL WAS THE ONLY ONE FROM  
GAINESVILLE, FLA. WHO APPEARED.

THE MEETING WAS WITHOUT INCIDENT AND LARGEST GROUP GATHERED DID  
NOT EXCEED TWENTY-FIVE. THE MAJORITY OF THE GROUP WERE LOCAL FOLLOWERS  
OF JERRY RUDGERS, AN INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN NEW LEFT ACTIVI-  
TIES IN THE ORLANDO, FLA. AREA, WHO ALSO ATTENDED.

USA, MILITARY INTELLIGENCE, AND SECRET SERVICE BEING ADVISED.

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JK TEL TO DIRECTOR AND TP, MAY TWENTYEIGHT SEVENTYONE. *u*

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IN VIEW OF FDREGDING, NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED, LOCAL DIS-  
SEMINATION BEING MADE. *u*

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TO DIRECTOR (ATTN: DID)

FROM NEWARK (100-53724) IP

ANTI WAR DEMONSTRATION AT NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, MAY TWENTY-  
NINE, NINETEEN SEVENTY ONE, SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR; IS-MISC. (VIOEM)

TODAY A SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE  
PAST, ADVISED THAT AN ANTI-WAR DEMONSTRATION WAS HELD AT MILITARY  
PARK, NEWARK, NJ, . THE DEMONSTRATION WHICH INVOLVED ABOUT THIRTY  
PARTICIPANTS BEGAN ABOUT FOUR P.M. AND ENDED AT APPROXIMATELY FOUR  
THIRTY P.M. . THE DEMONSTRATION WAS PRECEDED BY THE PARTICIPANTS  
MARCHING DOWN SEVERAL SIDE STREETS TOWARD MILITARY PARK, DISCUSSING  
THE VIETNAM WAR WITH INDIVIDUALS ON THE STREET. U

NO VIOLENCE, CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE OR ARRESTS RESULTED FROM THE  
DEMONSTRATION. THREE UNIDENTIFIED PARTICIPANTS MADE BRIEF ANTI-  
WAR REMARKS TO THE GROUP. FOLLOWING THESE REMARKS, WHICH LASTED  
ONLY A FEW MINUTES EACH THE DEMONSTRATION BROKE UP. U

SECRET SERVICE, ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH M I G, AND NEWARK PD,  
ALL NEWARK, NJ, COGNIZANT. U

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RE NK TEL TO BUREAU FIVE TWENTY ONE AND FIVE TWENTY EIGHT 16 JUN 4 1971  
SOURCE IS [redacted] NEWARK, NJ. PO, INTELLIGENCE UNIT. U

TEXT OF ABOVE FURNISHED SECRET SERVICE AND ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH  
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A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED MAY TWENTYNINE LAST, APPROXIMATELY ONE HUNDRED VVAW MEMBERS, WITH PERMISSION, GATHERED AT MINUTEMAN NATIONAL PARK, CONCORD, MASSACHUSETTS, DURING EVENING OF MAY TWENTYEIGHT TO BEGIN THEIR QUOTE OPERATION P.O.W. UNQUOTE.

FATHER ROBERT ORINAN, MASSACHUSETTS CONGRESSMAN, ADDRESSED THE GROUP, WHO WERE JOINED BY A VARYING NUMBER OF LOCAL RESIDENTS, AND SUPPORTED THEIR ANTI-WAR ACTIONS. THE VVAW CAMPEO OVERNIGHT AT THE PARK AND MARCHED TO LEXINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS, THE NEXT MORNING. THE ACTIVITIES WERE ORDERLY AND THERE WERE NO ARRESTS OR VIOLENCE.

A SECOND CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED MAY TWENTYNINE AND THIRTY THAT LEXINGTON AUTHORITIES SECURED A SUPERIOR COURT ORDER TO PREVENT

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THE VVAW FROM CARRYING OUT THEIR STATED INTENTION TO DEMONSTRATE AND CAMP OVERNIGHT ON THE HISTORIC LEXINGTON BATTLE GREEN, IN DEFIANCE OF AN OFFICIAL LEXINGTON RULING AUTHORIZING THEM ONLY TO PASS THROUGH THE TOWN IN SINGLE FILE ON THE SIDEWALKS. U

THE VVAW OCCUPIED AND DEMONSTRATED ON THE BATTLE GREEN DURING THE LATE AFTERNOON AND EVENING OF MAY TWENTYNINE IN DEFIANCE OF THE COURT ORDER. THE ONE HUNDRED VVAW GROUP, INCLUDING SEVERAL WHO WERE DISABLED, WERE JOINED BY LOCAL CITIZENRY AND AT TIMES, THE CROWD TOTALLED OVER A THOUSAND. U

ORDERS TO CLEAR THE BATTLE GREEN BY TEN PM MAY TWENTYNINE WERE IGNORED AND ELEVENTH HOUR MEETINGS RESULTED IN OFFER OF ALTERNATIVE SITES WHICH WERE REFUSED. THROUGHOUT THE EVENING THE VVAW ASSURED TOWN OFFICIALS THEY WOULD NOT RESIST ARREST, AND URGED THE CROWD TO BE ORDERLY. AT ONE POINT, THE VVAW URGED ALL NON-VVAW PEOPLE TO LEAVE BATTLE GREEN SO THEY WOULD NOT BE ARRESTED, BUT TO REMAIN NEARBY TO GIVE VOCAL SUPPORT. U

AT TWO FORTYFIVE AM, MAY THIRTY, LEXINGTON POLICE AUGMENTED BY STATE POLICE AND OFFICERS FROM NEAR-BY TOWNS, MOVED AGAINST THE CROWD OF ABOUT SIX TO SEVEN HUNDRED AND ARRESTED ABOUT ONE

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HUNDRED VVAW, NOT INCLUDING THOSE DISABLED. ABOUT TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTYFIVE OTHERS WERE ALSO ARRESTED, INCLUDING MEN AND WOMEN OF VARYING AGES, WHO WERE APPARENTLY LOCAL RESIDENTS. CHILDREN WITH PARENTS WHO WERE ARRESTED WERE ALLOWED TO REMAIN WITH THEIR PARENTS, BUT WERE NOT ARRESTED. U

ALL ARRESTS WERE PEACEFUL AND WITHOUT RESISTANCE. THERE WERE NO INJURIES OR VIOLENCE. ARRESTED PERSONS WERE ALLOWED TO POST BAIL AND THOSE DOING SO WERE RELEASED TO APPEAR IN COURT AT LATER DATES. THOSE NOT MAKING BAIL WERE DETAINED FOR COURT APPEARANCES DURING MORNING OF MAY THIRTY. U

VVAW PLANS CALL FOR MARCH TO BUNKER HILL, CHARLESTOWN, MASSACHUSETTS, TODAY WHERE AUTHORITIES STATED THEY WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO CAMP OVERNIGHT AS THEY PLAN TO DO. U

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM SEATTLE (100-NEW) 2P

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VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, PARTICIPATION IN MEMORIAL DAY PARADE,  
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, MAY THIRTY-ONE, NINETEEN SEVENTY-ONE, IS -  
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ON MAY THIRTY, NINETEEN SEVENTY-ONE, "THE SEATTLE TIMES,"  
DAILY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, REPORTED THE  
VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VAW) OBTAINED A PERMIT TO MARCH IN THE  
MEMORIAL DAY PARADE IN DOWNTOWN SEATTLE BEGINNING AT TEN A.M., MAY  
THIRTY-ONE NEXT.

REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS HAVE URGED THAT  
NO VETERANS MARCH IN THE PARADE BECAUSE THE ENTRY OF THE VAW BANNER  
INJECTS A POLITICAL ISSUE INTO THE OBSERVANCE AND MEMORIAL DAY  
IS NOT THE TIME FOR THAT.

THE COMMANDER OF LAKE WASHINGTON POST ONE TWENTY-FOUR OF THE  
AMERICAN LEGION REPORTEDLY REMOVED LAWRENCE TIMBERS AS CO OASH  
AMERICANISM CHAIRMAN FOR URGING A BOYCOTT OF THE PARADE BECAUSE  
TIMBERS WAS NOT ACTING IN THE SPIRIT OF TRUE AMERICANISM AND  
DEMOCRACY.

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NO PROPOSED DISRUPTION KNOWN BUT AFFAIR COULD LEAD TO  
CONFRONTATION OF OPPOSING VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS. U b7c

VAW AT SEATTLE REPORTEDLY IS LED BY DONALD ALEXANDER TREES, WASHINGTON STATE DIRECTOR, WHO SIGNED THE NOMINATING PETITION OF SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY (SWP) IN LAST ELECTION TO PLACE PARTY ON BALLOT IN THE STATE. SWP HAS BEEN DESIGNATED PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER ONE ZERO FOUR FIVE ZERO. U

ABOVE FURNISHED TO U.S. ATTORNEY, SECRET SERVICE, AND INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES OF ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE.

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## Internal Security-Miscellaneous

A SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT ON JUNE FOUR NEXT, THE ELECTRIC BOAT CO., GROTON, CONN., WILL LAUNCH ITS ONE HUNDRETH NUCLEAR POWERED SUBMARINE. NEW ENGLAND COMMITTEE FOR NON VIOLENT ACTION (NECNVA) WILL PROTEST THE LAUNCHING AND IS PLANNING TO USE CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE TO DISRUPT.

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A SECOND SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT ON JUNE FIFTH NEXT, SECRETARY OF DEFENSE MELVIN LAIRO AND ADMIRAL RICKOVER WILL HOST THE LAYING OF THE KEEL AT ELECTRIC BOAT, GROTON, WHICH WILL ALSO BE THE SUBJECT OF NUCLEAR CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE. SAME SOURCE ADVISED THAT VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAV)

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IN NEW HAVEN PLAN TO SEND A CONTINGENT TO GROTON JUNE  
FOUR NEXT TO PARTICIPATE IN DEMONSTRATION. U

ADMINISTRATIVE: RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO NEW HAVEN  
MAY TWENTY LAST CAPTIONED NECNVA. b1

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NEW HAVEN WILL CONTINUE TO FOLLOW PLANS OF NECNVA  
AND VVAW TO DETERMINE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RE THEIR  
PLANS. Navy

ONI, LOCAL AND STATE POLICE HAVE BEEN ADVISED.

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A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED MAY TWENTYSEVEN INSTANT, THAT FORMER SENATOR EUGENE MC CARTHY OF MINNESOTA IS SCHEDULED TO SPEAK AT THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) PICNIC AND RALLY TO BE HELD ON BOSTON COMMON, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, MAY THIRTYONE NEXT. THIS PICNIC AND RALLY WILL BE THE CLIMAX OF QUOTE OPERATION P.O.W. UNQUOTE, A VVAW MARCH FROM CONCORD, MASSACHUSETTS, TO BOSTON, DURING THE PERIOD MAY TWENTYEIGHT THROUGH THIRTYONE NEXT.

SOURCE ADVISED THE TOWN OF LEXINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS,

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HAS DENIED THE VVAW A PERMIT TO CAMP OVERNIGHT AND PARADE  
IN THAT TOWN, BUT WILL ALLOW THEM TO PASS THROUGH,  
UTILIZING THE SIDEWALKS. SOURCE SAID THIS RULING WILL BE  
ENFORCED. *u*

THE APPEARANCE OF FORMER SENATOR MC CARTHY ON MAY  
THIRTYONE NEXT AT THE VVAW AFFAIR ON BOSTON COMMON WAS  
CONFIRMED ON MAY TWENTYSEVEN INSTANT THROUGH A PRETEXT  
TELEPHONE CALL TO THE VVAW OFFICE IN CAMBRIDGE, MASS.,  
BY A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FBI. *u*

ADMINISTRATIVE: RE BOSTON LETTER, MAY TWENTYONE LAST. *u*

THE CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE IS CHIEF JAMES CORR, LEXINGTON,  
POLICE DEPARTMENT. *u*

SPECIAL AGENT *b7c* *b7c* *u*  
MADE THE PRETEXT TELEPHONE  
CALL TO VVAW UNDER THE GUISE OF AN INTERESTED CITIZEN. *u*

BOSTON WILL KEEP BUREAU AND NEW YORK ADVISED RE THIS  
DEMONSTRATION. *u*

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## Domestic Intelligence Division

## INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 6-2-71

Attached relates that members of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War plan to conduct a demonstration in Tulsa, Oklahoma, on 6-5-71, when President Nixon is scheduled to visit the area on that date.

Information in attached was disseminated by teletype to Secret Service. Copy sent Inter-Division Information Unit.

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TO DIRECTOR

ATTN DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM OKLAHOMA CITY 100-NEW P

VETERANS

DEMONSTRATION BY VIETNAM AGAINST THE WAR, TULSA, OKLAHOMA,

JUNE FIVE NEXT, VIDEM.  
Vietnam Demonstration

COP JACK PURDIE, TULSA, OKLA., ADVISED INSTANT DATE THE  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR HAVE REQUESTED PERMISSION  
TO CONDUCT AN ANTI-WAR DEMONSTRATION AT TULSA ON JUNE FIVE  
NEXT WHEN PRESIDENT NIXON VISITS THE AREA. MIKE BEASLEY,

AND TIM ROSE,

TULSA,

REQUESTED PERMISSION FROM CITY AUTHORITIES TO CONDUCT THE  
DEMONSTRATION. AUTHORITIES GRANTED THE ORGANIZATION  
PERMISSION TO HOLD THE DEMONSTRATION AT CENTRAL PARK OR  
BOULDER PARK BOTH LOCATED IN THE CENTER CITY AREA. THE  
ORGANIZERS ANTICIPATE FIFTY TO ONE HUNDRED PARTICIPANTS IN

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THE DEMONSTRATION. PRESIDENT NIXON WILL ARRIVE AT TULSA AIRPORT ON AIR FORCE ONE AT ELEVEN THIRTY AM JUNE FIVE NEXT. HE WILL PROCEED BY HELICOPTER DIRECTLY TO THE PORT OF CATDOSA APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN MILES NORTHEAST OF TULSA WHERE HE WILL SPEAK AT DEDICATION CEREMONIES. PRESIDENT PLANS TO RETURN TO TULSA AIRPORT BY HELICOPTER AND LEAVE TULSA AIRPORT ON AIR FORCE ONE AT TWELVE FORTYFIVE PM JUNE FIVE NEXT. HIS PLANS DO NOT CALL FOR A VISIT TO THE TULSA CENTRAL CITY AREA. U

CDP PURDIE SAID THE ORGANIZATION APPEARS TO BE SEEKING NATIONAL PUBLICITY AND THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT DEMONSTRATORS WILL APPEAR AT THE TULSA AIRPORT OR THE PORT OF CATDOSA RATHER THAN THE PARKS DESIGNATED BY CITY AUTHORITIES. U

LOCAL OFFICES OF SECRET SERVICE, MIG AND USA, TULSA, ADVISED. COPY OF THIS COMMUNICATION FURNISHED THEIR AGENCY. U

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BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF DEVELOPMENTS. NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED. memo

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TO SACs NEW ORLEANS (100-19044)  
ST. LOUIS

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI (100-448092) - 201

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), COORDINATING COMMITTEE  
MEETING, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, JUNE FIVE - SIX, NINETEEN SEVENTY-  
ONE, (INTERNAL SECURITY)

RENOTEL JUNE TWO LAST.

AUTHORITY DENIED TO

FOR INFORMATION NEW ORLEANS VVAW NOT UNDER ACTIVE INVESTI-  
GATION BY FBI SINCE TO DATE NO INFORMATION DEVELOPED INDICATING  
SUBVERSIVE CONNECTIONS.

ST. LOUIS AFFORD CAPTIONED MEETING LOCAL COVERAGE TO  
DETERMINE ONLY IF KNOWN VIOLENCE-PRONE OR EXTREMIST INDIVIDUALS  
IN ATTENDANCE AND IF ACTIVITIES CONTRARY TO U.S. INTERNAL  
SECURITY INTERESTS. SUREN POSITIVE INFORMATION DEVELOPED  
BUREAU AND OTHER INTERESTED OFFICES. ST. LOUIS DISREGARD  
NEW ORLEANS REQUEST IN RETEL.

NOTE: VVAW having Coordinating Committee meeting, St. Louis,  
Missouri, 6/5-6/71. Although we are not actively investigating VVAW,  
its activities are followed to determine involvement of extremists  
and/or potential for violence involved in VVAW plans.

of obtaining intelligence regarding possible violence.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR PAREN VVAW ENO PAREN COORDINATING  
COMMITTEE MEETING, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, JUNE FIVE DASH SIX, NINE-  
TEEN SEVENTYONE; VIDEM.

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TO DIRECTOR (ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION)  
FROM NEWARK (100-53724) (2P)

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ANTI-WAR DEMONSTRATION AT NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, MAY  
TWENTY-NINE, NINETEEN SEVENTY-ONE, SPONSORED BY VIETNAM  
VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR; INTERNAL SECURITY - MISCELLANEOUS  
(VIDEM).

TODAY, A SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION  
IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE  
WAR, NEW JERSEY CHAPTER, PLANNED TO HAVE APPROXIMATELY  
ONE HUNDRED FIFTY PERSONS PARTICIPATING IN THEIR ANTI-WAR  
RALLY IN MILITARY PARK, NEWARK, N.J., AT FOUR PM ON MAY  
TWENTY-NINE, NINETEEN SEVENTY-ONE. INITIALLY, THIS NUMBER  
WILL BE DIVIDED INTO APPROXIMATELY SIX THEATER GROUPS OF  
ABOUT TWENTY-FIVE PERSONS APiece AND THEY WILL DEPART FROM  
THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS ON THE PERIMETER OF NEWARK AT TEN AM:

ELIZABETH MEEKER AVENUES; NEWARK-IRVINGTON LINE AT  
CLINTON AVENUE; NEWARK-IRVINGTON LINE AT SPRINGFIELD AVENUE;  
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NEWARK-EAST ORANGE LINE AT CENTRAL AVENUE; BLOOMFIELD AND THIRD STREET, NEWARK; SOUTH MARKET AND FERRY STREETS, NEWARK. THESE GROUPS WILL CONVERGE UPON MILITARY PARK WITH THE VETERANS AND ACTORS BEING ATTIREO IN JUNGLE FATIGUE UNIFORMS AND "ARMEO" WITH REALISTIC-LOOKING PLASTIC WEAPONS. THEY WILL STAY ON THE SIDEWALKS EN ROUTE TO THE PARK, PASSING OUT LEAFLETS AND LITERATURE PROTESTING THE WAR. AT THE PARK THEY PLAN TO HAVE SEVERAL SPEAKERS AND CONDUCT A MOCK PERFORMANCE DEPICTING A COMBAT SITUATION IN VIETNAM. *u*

SECRET SERVICE, ONE HUNDRED EIGHT MILITARY INTELLIGENCE GROUP, AND NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT, ALL NEWARK, COGNIZANT. ADMINISTRATIVE *u*

RE NEWARK TEL MAY TWENTY-ONE LAST. *u*

THE ABOVE SOURCE IS DETECTIVE [REDACTED] NEWARK, N.J., PO. *b7c*

TEXT OF THE ABOVE FURNISHED SECRET SERVICE AND ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH MI GP. NO LHM FOLLOWS. *u*

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO: DIRECTOR FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 6/8/71

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47162) (C)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR (VVAW)  
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For the information of the Bureau and the New York Office, contact with WFO sources familiar with New Left activity in the Washington, D. C. (WDC), area has not indicated that the VVAW is engaged in subversive activity in WDC.

Having considered the lack of subversive information, the political means utilized by the VVAW to achieve its goals (as evidenced during the VVAW demonstration held in WDC 4/18-23/71) and the degree of favorable publicity received, WFO is placing this case in a closed status.

Should information be received indicating that the VVAW is engaged in activity warranting investigation by WFO, this case will be reopened.

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TO DIRECTOR ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION  
FROM OKLAHOMA CITY 100-8281 P 2P

DEMONSTRATION BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, TULSA,  
OKLAHOMA, JUNE FIVE, SEVENTYONE, VIDEM.

RE OKLAHOMA CITY TELETYPE JUNE TWO LAST.

TULSA PD, TULSA, OKLAHOMA, ADVISED  
TODAY AN ANTI-WAR DEMONSTRATION SPONSORED BY THE VIETNAM  
VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR WAS HELD TODAY AT WOODWARD PARK,  
TWENTY FIRST AND PEORIA AVENUE IN TULSA FROM TEN AM UNTIL  
TWELVE NOON. THE DEMONSTRATION WAS PEACEFUL AND NO INCIDENTS.

ONLY THIRTYFIVE TO FORTY INDIVIDUALS PARTICIPATED. THE  
LOCATION OF THE DEMONSTRATION WAS SEVERAL MILES FROM TULSA  
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND THE PORT OF CATOOSA WHERE PRESIDENT  
NIXON APPEARED TODAY IN CONNECTION WITH DEDICATION CEREMONIES.  
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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI  
ATT: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM : SAC, KANSAS CITY (100-NEW) *RVC*

SUBJECT: PROPOSED HUNGER STRIKE  
BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.,  
6/14-22/71  
IS-MISCELLANEOUS  
OO WFO

DATE: 6/11/71

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PROPOSED HUNGER STRIKE BY  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
JUNE 14-22, 1971

b7c b7D [redacted] who is in a position to furnish reliable information, advised on June 8, 1971, that John Upton, b7c leader of the Kansas City, Missouri, Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW), attended a national meeting of VVAW in St. Louis, Missouri, on June 6, 1971. U

It was determined at the meeting that two VVAW members from each state will participate in a hunger strike on June 14-22, 1971, to lobby for passage of the Hatfield-McGovern Amendment. The hunger strike is to take place on the steps of the United States Capitol. U

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FROM KANSAS CITY 100-NEW IP

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PROPOSED HUNGER STRIKE BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR,  
WASHINGTON, O. C., JUNE FOURTEEN DASH TWENTYTWO, NINETEEN  
SEVENTYONE; IS - MISCELLANEOUS. OO WASHINGTON FIELD

A KNOWLEDGEABLE SOURCE IN A POSITION TO FURNISH RELIABLE  
INFORMATION ADVISED AS FOLLOWS: TWO MEMBERS OF VIETNAM VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) FROM EACH STATE WILL BE IN WASHINGTON, O. C.,  
FROM JUNE FOURTEEN THROUGH TWENTYTWO, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE, TO LOBBY  
FOR PASSAGE OF HATFIELD OASH MC GOVERN AMENDMENT. LOBBY WILL BE IN  
FORM OF HUNGER STRIKE TO TAKE PLACE ON STEPS OF U. S. CAPITOL.

b7c b7D ADMINISTRATIVE: WASHINGTON FIELD ADVISE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES  
SOURCE IS [REDACTED] WHO IS NOT

SPECIFICALLY TARGETED AGAINST VVAW [REDACTED]

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FROM: SAC, ST. LOUIS (100-21603) (P) comp. # 55704

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)

REGIONAL COORDINATORS MEETING

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

6/5 - 6/7/71

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Source one identified in St. Louis file. Source two is [redacted] and source three identified in St. Louis file. U

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
REGIONAL COORDINATORS MEETING  
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI  
JUNE 5 - 6, 1971

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On June 1, 1971, source one who has not provided sufficient information to date to establish his reliability, advised that the captioned organization was planning on holding a two-day meeting in St. Louis, Missouri. According to the source, the meetings were to be attended by individuals from various parts of the country.

On June 3, 1971, a second source who has provided reliable information in the past, advised that the upcoming series of meetings were scheduled to be held at Sheldon Memorial Hall, 3648 Washington, St. Louis, Missouri, beginning at 1:00 P.M. on Saturday, June 5, 1971 and ending sometime after noon on June 6, 1971. Source advised that all of the planned meetings were for members of the organization only and that some of the meetings would be closed to all except invited participants. Same source also advised on June 3, 1971, that a Chicken Dinner was being planned to honor John Karry and Al Hubbard from the National Office of the VVAW. Source advised that the dinner was to be held at Grace Methodist Church, 6199 Waterman, St. Louis, Missouri. Source advised that the dinner was opened to anyone wishing to attend.

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**VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
REGIONAL COORDINATORS MEETING  
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI  
JUNE 5 - 6, 1971**

On June 4, 1971, a third source who has provided reliable information that the VVAW is active in the St. Louis area.

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On June 7, 1971, the St. Louis Police Department advised that spot checks of Sheldon Memorial Hall and the surrounding area on Saturday and Sunday disclosed only a small amount of activity and the police department surmised from the amount of cars parked in the area that the activity in Sheldon Memorial Hall was probably attended by approximately 50 people. Police Department reported absolutely no incidents in connection with the demonstration and there were no arrests. u

The following article entitled, "Veterans charge FBI offered jobs as spies", appeared on page 8A of the St. Louis Globe Democrat, a daily metropolitan newspaper published in St. Louis on June 7, 1971. u

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## Veterans charge

### FBI offered jobs as spies

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St. Louis, MO. 6-7-71

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. C. D. Brennan

- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. Brennan

DATE: 6/10/71

FROM :

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
INTERNAL SECURITY - MISCELLANEOUS

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By informative note 6/8/71 on New York teletype same date, Director was advised that VVAW plans to hold press conference in Washington, D.C. (WDC), to report that FBI has offered \$150 per month to members of VVAW to recruit them as Government informers. Director inquired "What about this?"

This allegation made by Larry Rottmann of VVAW is completely false, and it is recommended Rottmann be immediately located, confronted with false statements and requested to furnish proof of his unfounded charges.

VVAW is loosely organized antiwar group headquartered in New York City and made up mostly of genuine Vietnam war veterans. No information has come to our attention indicating significant subversive influence in VVAW. We do not actively investigate VVAW nor do we have any informants targeted directly against VVAW. Field offices having considerable VVAW activity merely follow the organization and report public source and other information coming to their attention regarding VVAW plans to demonstrate or cause disruptions in U.S. cities. Such intelligence information has been furnished as developed to the President and other interested high level Government officials.

Regional coordinators of VVAW held meeting in St. Louis 6/5-6/71, attended by approximately 50 individuals, according to St. Louis Police Department. On 6/7/71, article (copy attached for reference) appeared in "St. Louis Globe Democrat," daily St. Louis newspaper, indicating that during VVAW meeting spokesman Larry Rottmann of Corrales, New Mexico, VVAW Executive Committee member, charged several VVAW members have been offered \$150 per month to act as Government informers. Rottmann further alleged that VVAW members were approached in Kansas City, New York City, Houston, Philadelphia and Boston by persons identifying themselves as FBI Agents. He went on to claim more specific charges would be presented to Congress this week (6/7-11/71).

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Re: Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW)  
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All Agents who would be remotely connected with following VVAW activity in Kansas City, New York City, Houston, Philadelphia and Boston Offices have been canvassed and categorically deny any attempts to recruit as informant or offer any money to any VVAW member. These offices also confirmed that no active investigation of VVAW is being conducted and no informants are being targeted specifically against VVAW. Washington Field Office has developed no information regarding possible press conference by VVAW in WDC or plans to appear before Congressional committees. u

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At any rate, the matter has been publicized only by local St. Louis newspaper and "Daily World," East Coast communist newspaper. Contact with VVAW or Rottmann by FBI concerning these charges could easily result in much greater publicity for VVAW. Considering sympathy for VVAW as result of their peaceful demonstration in WDC, 4/71, and claims of ill treatment at hands of Justice Department which evicted them from the Mall, it is probable that considerable publicity would work in their favor and definitely against FBI. On the other hand, should group participate in Congressional hearings and further these allegations against FBI, confrontation and vehement denial by Bureau would probably be necessary in any event.

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 6-8-71

Attached relates that the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) plan to hold a press conference sometime this week in Washington, D. C., to report that the FBI has offered money up to the amount of \$150 per month to members of the VVAW. They plan to give full details during this news conference.

Our Washington Field Office is following this closely and you will be kept advised.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448092) TELETYPE  
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WASHINGTON FIELD (100-47162)  
FROM NEW YORK (100-160644)

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS-MISC, OO:NY.

THE "DAILY WORLD," AN EAST COAST COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER,  
ISSUE OF JUNE EIGHT, INSTANT, PAGE THREE, IN NEWS STORY WITH  
DATELINE OF "ST. LOUIS, JUNE SEVEN," ENTITLED, "VETS MAP  
NATIONAL END-WAR CAMPAIGN" REPORTED THAT NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES  
OF THE VVAW WOUND UP A THREE DAY CONFERENCE IN ST. LOUIS,  
MISSOURI, ON JUNE SIX, LAST.

AT CONFERENCE, A DECISION WAS REACHED TO HOLD A VVAW  
PRESS CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON "THIS WEEK" TO EXPOSE OVERTURES  
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AGENTS WHO MADE CONTACT WITH MEMBERS OF THE GROUP. FULL DETAILS  
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COPY TO ST. LOUIS FOR INFORMATION.

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Enclosed for the Bureau are 11 copies and each receiving office, two copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above and datelined Washington, D. C.

The confidential source who furnished information contained in the LHM is [REDACTED] original location of the information is [REDACTED]

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Washington, D.C.,  
June 9, 1971

VIETNAM VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR  
(VVAW)

On June 4, 1971, a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised as follows:

During the afternoon of May 31, 1971, a meeting of the VVAW was held in Washington, D.C. Approximately [redacted] individuals attended the meeting. Individuals recognized in attendance included the following:

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The purpose of the meeting was to plan VVAW activities.

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for the following day at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D.C., to discuss future VVAW activities, and to discuss the upcoming VVAW meeting to be held the following weekend in St. Louis, Missouri.

The first topic of discussion was the memorial service to be held the following day at Walter Reed Hospital. It was announced that an individual from the United Farm Workers, the Chaplain at Walter Reed Hospital, and VVAW member Jack Day would address the service.

It was pointed out that individuals present at the memorial service were to recite the Lord's prayer and during the phrase, "Forgive us our trespasses", six VVAW members were to stand and present testimony regarding war atrocities committed in Vietnam. At this point, there was a short discussion as to how the above should be handled.

[redacted] commented that the next phrase in the Lord's prayer "As we forgive those who trespass against us," made the matter "touchy." He noted that no one present at the service would forgive persons such as President Nixon. [redacted] suggested that the procedure be carried out in such a way to make this obvious to those observing the ceremony.

The next topic discussed at the meeting was the VVAW Co-ordinators Meeting to be held in St. Louis, Missouri, during the weekend of June 4 - 6, 1971. [redacted] explained that the above would take place, and he proposed that persons present nominate a Washington regional VVAW co-ordinator for the Washington VVAW Chapter had not done so.

[redacted] proposal was not acted on and he then asked whether or not anyone would object to continuing as they had in the past with the individual doing the most work functioning as the "De facto Co-ordinator." No one objected and Mallory commented, "so be it."

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[redacted] then suggested that individuals present discuss [redacted] felt the future direction of VVAW should be [redacted]. A short discussion lead by [redacted] followed.

[redacted] suggested that as an organization, the VVAW could run food convoys into Cairo, Illinois. He [redacted] Veterans [redacted] this in the [redacted]

[redacted] commented that the situation in Cairo was bad and that several individuals had already been shot. He stated that those from the VVAW who carried food into the area had armed themselves with guns and he suggested that any future convoys be armed.

Following the above, the group broke up with approximately one-half of the individuals present remaining to work out final details for the next morning's memorial service at Walter Reed Hospital.

On Saturday, May 31, 1971, approximately 75 individuals filled the chapel at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D.C. Many members of the news media were present.

During a recitation of the Lord's prayer, Jack Day of the VVAW announced that there would be a "sharing of guilt" regarding the atrocities committed in Vietnam and he asked that those present repeat the chant, "And forgive us our trespasses." During the above chant a total of six or seven VVAW members stood and "confessed" war atrocities committed in Vietnam. Three VVAW members who participated in the above

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"confession", included Mallory, Czyzewski, and one Lenny (Last Name Unknown). Most of the "confessions" involved situations where the Veterans observed Vietnamese dying and not caring about the person. One unidentified Veteran, however, called for the end of Capitalist exploitation of "third world peoples." This individual was a white male, approximately six feet tall, 190 pounds, heavy build, blond hair, fair complexion. 4

An unidentified individual who indicated he was from the United Farm Workers then addressed the congregation. He told an anecdote regarding an individual whom he referred to as Joe Hill, and explained that Hill had been executed some time ago in the State of Utah by a firing squad. He said that one of Hill's last words were for individuals not to mourn but rather to organize. He then asked the congregation to chant the phrase, "Don't mourn, organize." The speaker from the United Farm Workers was described as a white male, five feet ten inches, 210 pounds, heavy build, dark hair, 40 years of age. 4

Following the above, Congressman Edwards addressed those present in the chapel. He spoke briefly and merely called for an end to the war in Vietnam. 4

Following the Memorial Day service, a number of veterans gathered to hold a picnic at Rock Creek Park in Washington, D.C. Present at the gathering were two individuals who indicated they had just returned from the recent Venceremos Brigade in Cuba. 4

#### VENCEREMOS BRIGADE

The Venceremos Brigade was formed in June, 1969, by a coalition of New Left organizations to encourage American youth to travel to Cuba in defiance of a ban on travel to that country by the United States Department of State. The ostensible purpose of the travel was to assist the Castro regime in the harvesting of sugar cane and other agricultural products and to

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give young Americans the experience of living in a revolutionary communish country.

Both of the above individuals were white. One was a male, age approximately 20, five feet ten inches, 160 pounds, build medium to slender, dark hair. The other, a female, had blue eyes, light complexion, and hair, was approximately 20 years of age, five feet four inches, 120 pounds, medium build.

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The unidentified male made the following pertinent comments regarding the VB:

Individuals participating in the last VB cut sugar cane and toured the Island of Cuba. He indicated that the cane itself was cut by hand and that the Cubans were investigating the possibilities of utilizing different methods to harvest the crop. They explained that the Cuban government has sent observers to all parts of the world that grow sugar cane, with the exception of Louisiana, to develop information regarding more efficient methods to harvest the crop. In the case of Louisiana, the Cuban government has indicated it is obtaining the knowledge via second hand methods. This individual did not elaborate on the above.

This individual further stated that the Cuban government expects to have cane cutting almost completely automated within five years. Cutting machines are to be imported from Australia. This person further stated that at the present time Cuba is a one product economy but is attempting to diversify its economic structure. In the future, Cuba expects to mine large deposits of nickel which lay untouched. Scientific research is being done on a very practical level in the island. Cuban officials expect to greatly expand the fishing industry and they indicated that there are vast resources which have been unexploited to date.

The unidentified female then commented that the male must have been reading her notes. He admitted that he had. From the conversation, both inferred that VB participants had been given lectures on the Cuban economy.

The unidentified female was then overheard to comment that production in Cuban factories was dictated by a central committee. She indicated that the decision regarding the quantity of production was made on the basis of what had been done in the past, what new methods existed,

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and what extent the central committee on production felt that production could be increased at the particular factory. She indicated that there existed a body of individuals who were elected by the workers on the basis of their dedication. The function of this body was to "raise the consciousness" of workers.

Individuals who excelled within this body, the unidentified female explained, could eventually be accepted as members of the Party.

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ReNytel and LHM, 6/9/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 11 copies of an LHM in which is set out information concerning demonstrations partially sponsored by the VVAW in Brooklyn, NY, 6/19-20/71

The following local agencies are being furnished copies of the LHM:

4-108th MIG  
1-NISO  
1-OSI, USAF  
1-Secret Service  
1-USA, EDNY

The indices of the NYO are negative concerning Take Brooklyn Out of the War Coalition.

The NYCPD, Security and Investigations Section has been advised.

NY will afford coverage of the demonstrations sponsored in part by the VVAW in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, NY, on 6/19-20/71.

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Reference is made to the memorandum captioned as above dated June 9, 1971.

The "Daily World," an east coast communist newspaper, issue of June 10, 1971, page 11, columns 1 and 2, in a news story with the dateline of New York, June 9, entitled, "Anti-war camp-in June 19-20 in Brooklyn's Prospect Park," reports that anti-war groups in Brooklyn will hold a camp-in in Prospect Park on June 19-20, 1971, and not June 12-13, 1971 as reported in Tuesday's (June 8, 1971) issue of the "Daily World."

The activities are being sponsored by the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW), and Take Brooklyn Out of the War Coalition, along with local units of the State County and Municipal Workers, Bakers, Auto Workers, Furriers and Upholsterers unions.

The veterans encampment will start at 6:00 p.m. on June 19, 1971, at Longmeadow in Prospect Park. Films will be shown at 8:00 p.m.

On June 20, 1971, there will be a march followed by a rock concert and rally at 2:00 p.m.

Copies of this document are being disseminated locally to the 108th Military Intelligence Group, the Naval Investigative Service Office, the Office of Special Investigations of the United States Air Force, the Secret Service and the United States Attorney, Eastern District of New York.

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The source used in LHM is [REDACTED]

The LHM is classified, "Confidential" to protect identity of the aforementioned source.

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The indices of NY are negative as to Take Brooklyn Out of the War Coalition.

The representative of the NYCPD, Security and Investigations Section, is [REDACTED] who was contacted by SA [REDACTED] b7c

LEADS:

KANSAS CITY

AT KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI. Will through sources attempt to verify proposed "limited incursion" of VVAW in Kansas City during 7/3-5/71 and will afford coverage of same.

ST. LOUIS

AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI. Will furnish the Bureau and NY with any information concerning the reported three-day meeting of national representatives of the VVAW in St. Louis which wound up on 6/6/71.

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D.C. Will through appropriate sources determine date and place of proposed press conference of VVAW in WDC and will afford coverage of same.

NEW YORK

AT BROOKLYN, NEW YORK. Will determine if the proposed VVAW actions in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, on 6/8-9/71 are to be held and if so will afford coverage of same.



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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York

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A confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on June 7, 1971 that the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW), 156 5th Avenue, New York City (NYC), moved its national office from that address during the week of May 30, 1971 to 25 West 26th Street, NYC, telephone number 725-5680.

The VVAW is a veterans organization located at 25 West 26th Street, NYC. The first of its nine published objectives is as follows:

"To demand an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indochina. We cannot allow one more human being to be killed in Indochina."

The "Daily World," an east coast newspaper, edition of June 8, 1971, page 3, columns 4 and 5, contains the following news article concerning the VVAW:

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"Vets map national end-war campaign

"ST. LOUIS, June 7-National representatives of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War wound up a three-day conference here yesterday with an announcement of plans for the coming months.

"The veterans will step up their lobbying campaign in Washington in support of the McGovern-Hatfield bill to withdraw all U.S. forces from Indochina by the end of 1971. They have designated June 14 as the target date for a nation-wide effort by veterans to swing public opinion behind the McGovern-Hatfield bill.

"A decision was reached to hold a press conference in Washington this week to expose overtures by the FBI to regional coordinators of the veterans group to become paid informers. Offers of money up to the amount of \$150 a month were mentioned as the sale price by FBI agents who made contact with members of the group. Full details about the agents involved will be disclosed in the news conference.

"A task force was established to coordinate work on the drug problem among veterans. The task force will formulate a legislative program and seek an updated rehabilitation program through the Veterans Administration hospital system.

"Plans were announced for a 'limited incursion of Vietnam Veterans into middle America' for July 3-5 at Kansas City, Mo.

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"Johnny Upton, 24, of Kansas City, said the rally was planned for 'the heart of America' because 'we feel the East and West Coasts have been barraged with anti-war sentiment and middle America is being neglected.'

"The action in Kansas City will include an encampment of veterans and various educational programs to dramatize the nature of the war and the problems of returned servicemen."

The aforementioned edition of the "Daily World," page 3, column 3, in a news article entitled, "Anti-war camp-in

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Vietnam Veterans  
Against the War

set for Brooklyn,' with the dateline of "New York, June 7," announces that the VVAW and Take Brooklyn Out of the War Coalition will hold a camp-in and rap-in at the Longmeadow in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, on the weekend (June 8-9, 1971.) The Saturday (June 8, 1971) activities will consist of the showing of two films and a general rap about the war, and will start at 8:00 p.m. The Sunday (June 9, 1971) activities will consist of a guerrilla theatre to be followed at 2:00 p.m. by a mass rally.

A representative of the New York City Police Department, Security and Investigations Section, advised on June 8, 1971, that his department has no information concerning the proposed activities of the VVAW at Prospect park, Brooklyn, on June 8-9, 1971.

Copies of this document are being disseminated locally to the 108th Military Intelligence Group, the Naval Investigative Service Office, the Office of Special Investigations of the United States Air Force, the Secret Service and the United States Attorney, Eastern District of New York.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

1 - Mr. W.C. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. J.P. Mohr  
1 - Mr. T.E. Bishop

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TO : Mr. C.D. Brennan

DATE: June 14, 1971

FROM : [REDACTED]

1 - Mr. C.D. Brennan

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SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
INTERNAL SECURITY - MISCELLANEOUS

Reference memorandum [REDACTED] to C.D. Brennan dated 6/10/71 in which it was recommended Larry Rottmann, VVAW Executive Committee member who made false claims that FBI Agents offered money to VVAW members to become informers, [REDACTED]

Washington Field Office (WFO) has developed information that VVAW will hold press conference on steps of Old Senate Office Building, Capitol Hill, at 10:00 a.m. this morning (6/14/71). Considering Rottmann's earlier claim that VVAW will be holding press conference in Washington, D.C., soon to produce more specific charges against FBI, it is probable that Rottmann was referring to press conference planned for this morning. WFO has been specifically instructed to avoid any coverage of press conference which will be held on property of U.S. Capitol. However, WFO has determined that Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) will be covering press conference, and close liaison will be maintained between WFO and MPD.

If Rottmann's presence at press conference can be determined, [REDACTED]

## ACTION:

For Director's information. This matter being followed most closely and you will be advised of all pertinent developments.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
(VVAW) DEMONSTRATION TO COUNTERACT  
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS (VFW)  
FESTIVITIES, 7/4/71,  
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A source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on 6/8/71, that the Kansas City chapter of VVAW will conduct a demonstration on 7/4/71. The demonstration will consist of local and out-of-state VVAW representatives and will conduct guerrilla theatres and marches to counteract the festivities the local VFW will conduct.

Kansas City will endeavor to obtain complete facts and approximate number of individuals who will participate.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448092)

FROM WASHINGTON FIELD IP

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW); IS-MISC.

FOR INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU APPROXIMATELY TWELVE TEN PM THIS DATE APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN MEMBERS OF THE VVAW BRIEFLY DEMONSTRATED IN THE VICINITY OF THE U.S. NAVY RECRUITING STATION, TWELFTH AND PENNSYLVANIA AVE., NW., WASHINGTON, D.C. PARTICIPANTS CARRIED SIGNS AND DISTRIBUTED LEAFLETS STATING, QUOTE DON'T ENLIST- RESIST UNQUOTE.

NO INCIDENTS NOTED.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. C.D. Brennan

FROM : [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR (VVAW)  
INTERNAL SECURITY - MISCELLANEOUS

- 1 - Mr. W.C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. J.P. Mohr
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- 1 - Mr. C.D. Brennan

DATE: 6/17/71

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## PURPOSE:

To apprise you of results of investigation to determine identity of individuals responsible for making false claims that FBI Agents offered money to VVAW members to become informers and to recommend no additional investigation be conducted in this matter.

## BACKGROUND:

It was previously reported that during VVAW meeting of regional coordinators in St. Louis, 6/4 - 6/71, Larry Rottmann, newly elected member of VVAW Executive Committee, made allegation that FBI Agents had offered VVAW members amounts of money up to \$150 to become informers against VVAW. Rottmann claimed that a press conference would be held in Washington, D.C., soon thereafter to provide additional specific details concerning these allegations.

## CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS:

On 6/17/71, [REDACTED] (NYO)

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FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092) - 218

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - MISCELLANEOUS

RENYTEL JUNE SIXTEEN, LAST.

RECIPIENTS IMMEDIATELY DISCONTINUE EFFORTS TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW

NEW YORK MAKE NO FURTHER CONTACT WITH VVAW HEADQUARTERS THIS MATTER. ACCEPT ANY INFORMATION VOLUNTEERED BY VVAW AND IMMEDIATELY ADVISE BUREAU.

RECIPIENTS BE ALERT FOR ANY ADDITIONAL PUBLICITY GIVEN ALLEGED VVAW INFILTRATION AND FURNISH BUREAU DETAILS IMMEDIATELY.

NOTE:

See memorandum to Mr. C.D. Brennan dated 6/17/71, captioned as above, prepared by

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Memorandum to Mr. C.D. Brennan  
Re: Vietnam Veterans Against  
The War (VVAW)  
100-448902

OBSERVATIONS:

It is becoming increasingly clear that VVAW has no such data as claimed regarding FBI infiltration, and that even if some falsified record is being held, VVAW has no intention of furnishing it to us. VVAW has held promised press conference on steps of Old Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. (WDC), and made no mention of FBI. VVAW is engaging in delaying tactic while carefully recording details of recent contacts by FBI Agents. This is highlighted by fact [redacted] immediately informed NYO that Agents in Albuquerque [redacted] Possibility exists these contacts will be used shortly to maliciously accuse FBI of harassment and repression, resulting in embarrassment to Bureau.

VVAW reactions to our attempts to resolve truth of allegations in this matter confirm that affair is VVAW self-serving, publicity-seeking gimmick. It is recommended no further action be taken in this matter.

ACTION:

Attached for approval is teletype to Albuquerque, New York, WFO, and Boston instructing that attempts immediately cease to locate and interview [redacted] to make no further contact with VVAW in this matter, but to accept any information volunteered by VVAW concerning allegations of FBI infiltration.

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TO DIRECTOR

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(ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE)

FROM PHILADELPHIA (100-NEW)

ANTI-WAR RALLY, BETHLEHEM CIVIC CENTER, BETHLEHEM, PA., JUNE  
EIGHTEEN, SEVENTYONE, SPONSORED BY LEHIGH VALLEY, PA., VIETNAM  
VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR. VIOEM.

[REDACTED] BETHLEHEM, PA., PD DETECTIVE BUREAU,  
ADVISED ON NIGHT OF JUNE EIGHTEEN, LAST, THAT AN ANTI-WAR  
RALLY WAS HELD AT THE BETHLEHEM CIVIC CENTER, BETHLEHEM, PA.,  
SPONSORED BY THE LEHIGH VALLEY, PA., VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE  
WAR. THIS RALLY WAS HELD FROM APPROXIMATELY SEVEN THIRTY P.M.  
TO NINE THIRTY P.M. THERE WERE TEN SPEAKERS AND FROM THIRTY TO  
FORTY PERSONS IN ATTENDANCE AT VARYING TIMES.

[REDACTED] SAID HE WAS FAMILIAR WITH SOME OF THE PERSONS  
HOLDING ANTI-WAR VIEWS IN BETHLEHEM, PA., BUT THAT THE ONLY  
PERSON HE RECOGNIZED AT THIS RALLY WAS [REDACTED]  
PA. THE RALLY WAS PEACEFUL AND THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS OR ARRESTS.

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THE SPEAKERS SPOKE GENERALLY AGAINST THE U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN THE VIETNAM WAR AND CALLED FOR AN IMMEDIATE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL U.S. TROOPS FROM VIETNAM.

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[REDACTED] *in* ADVISED THAT A PERMIT FOR THIS RALLY WAS GRANTED BY THE CITY OF BETHLEHEM AND THAT THE PERSON RECEIVING THE GRANT WAS PAUL S. FICHTER, [REDACTED], EMMAUS, PA. PERSONS INTERESTED IN ATTENDING THIS RALLY MET AT LEPCO, FOURTEEN W. BROAD ST., BETHLEHEM, PA. IN VIEW OF THIS MEETING PLACE, HE BELIEVED THAT LEPCO WAS IN BACK OF THIS RALLY AND HELPED ORGANIZE IT. *u*

ADMINISTRATIVE:

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES AND SECRET SERVICE BEING ADVISED. BETHLEHEM PD AND PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE COGNIZANT.

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TO DIRECTOR 100-448092 - IMMEDIATE TELETYPE

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ON JUNE SIXTEEN, INSTANT, SA [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED

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ACCORDING [REDACTED] THE VVAW IS AT THIS TIME ENGAGED  
IN INTENSIVE LOBBYING ON BEHALF OF THE HATFIELD - MC GOVERN  
AMENDMENT AND WILL BE SO OCCUPIED FOR MOST OF THIS WEEK.

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] ALLEGATIONS  
THAT THE FBI AND OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES HAVE ATTEMPTED  
TO INFILTRATE THE VVAW WILL BE DISCUSSED. HE STATED  
THAT HE WILL ADVISE THE FBI, NYC OF THE RESULTS.

[REDACTED] STATED THAT HE DOES NOT KNOW OF THE CURRENT  
LOCATION OF [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HE STATED THAT HE HAD NO FURTHER  
INFORMATION ON THIS. HE MENTIONED THAT [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
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[REDACTED]

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RE NEW YORK TELS, JUNE FIFTEEN, LAST.

IT IS THE OPINION OF THE NY OFFICE THAT THE LEADERSHIP OF THE VVAW HAS NO INTENTION OF FURNISHING ANY INFORMATION TO THE FBI ON THIS MATTER AND THAT THE VVAW HAS NO INFORMATION TO SUBSTANTIATE ALLEGATIONS MADE. IT IS BELIEVED THAT THE VVAW IS MAKING A RECORD OF ATTEMPTS OF FBI AGENTS TO LOCATE [REDACTED] AS ATTEMPTS OF THE GOVERNMENT TO "HARRASS" THE VVAW AND THAT THESE CONTACTS BY AGENTS OF VVAW MEMBERS MIGHT BE PUBLICIZED AS SUCH.

UACB, [REDACTED] WILL ATTEMPT DISCREETLY TO ACQUIRE PHOTOGRAPHS OF [REDACTED] AND WILL FURNISH SAME TO BOSTON, NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON FIELD TO AID IN EFFORTS TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED]

WFO WILL MAKE CONTACT WITH VVAW OFFICE IN WOC IN AN ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED] b7c

NY WILL CONTACT [REDACTED]  
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706PM URGENT 6-9-71 [REDACTED]

TO DIRECTOR

FROM PHILADELPHIA (100-51647)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR; (VVAW); IS - MISC

LOGICAL SA'S PHILADELPHIA CANVASSED. NO ONE HAS  
BEEN APPROACHED TO BECOME INFORMANT AGAINST VVAW. NO EXISTING  
INFORMANTS THIS OFFICE TARGETED AGAINST  
VVAW. NO ACTIVE INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED OF VVAW.

PERTINENT INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM PUBLIC AND OTHER  
SOURCES RE VVAW DEMONSTRATIONS IS RECORDED AND TRANSMITTED.

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TO : DIRECTOR

ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM: KANSAS CITY (100-14651)

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW). IS OASH MISC.

RE BUREAU TELEPHONE CALL TO KANSAS CITY, JUNE NINE, INSTANT.

ALL PERTINENT AGENTS OF KANSAS CITY DIVISION HAVE BEEN CANVASSED AND NO INFORMANTS HAVE BEEN OFFERED MONEY TO FURNISH INFORMATION SPECIFICALLY REGARDING VVAW.

KANSAS CITY HAS NO INFORMANTS WHO ARE DIRECTED PRIMARILY AGAINST VVAW.

THE VVAW IS NOT SPECIFICALLY UNDER INVESTIGATION BY KANSAS CITY DIVISION. KANSAS CITY HAS LIMITED ITS INTEREST IN VVAW TO INOEXING MEMBERSHIP AND IDENTIFYING LEADERSHIP WHOSE NAMES COME UP IN MEDIA GENERALLY. THIS IS DONE ONLY BECAUSE VVAW HAS EXHIBITED PROPENSITY FOR DEMONSTRATIVE ACTION AND POSSIBILITY FOR VIOLENCE EXISTS. KANSAS CITY HAS ADDITIONALLY IDENTIFIED PERSONS IN LEADERSHIP WITH VVAW THROUGH

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EVER, SUCH INFORMATION AGAIN NOT USED AS BASIS FOR INVESTIGATION

SUCH PERSONS ARE ONLY IDENTIFIED AND INOEXED.

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IS NOT DIRECTED AGAINST VVAW

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[REDACTED] VOLUNTEERS INFORMATION

RE THIS GROUP. OF INTEREST HERE [REDACTED]  
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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HAS BEEN PAID TOTAL EIGHTY-FIVE DOLLARS  
FOR SM DASH MISC INFORMATION. NO SPECIFIC SUM OF MONEY HAS EVER BEEN  
DISCUSSED WITH [REDACTED] AND HE HAS BEEN PAID ON A  
STRICTLY C.O.D. BASIS FOR SUBSTANTIAL INFORMATION FURNISHED. ALTHOUGH  
SOME VVAV INFORMATION HAS COME FROM THIS SOURCE, HE IS DEFINITELY NOT  
TARGETED THIS AREA.

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Mr. Mohr  
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Mr. [redacted]  
Mr. [redacted]  
Mr. [redacted]  
Mr. [redacted]  
Mr. [redacted]  
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TO DIRECTOR (100-448092) (ATTN; DOMINTEL)  
FROM BOSTON (100-42739)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR. IS - MISC.

RE BU TELCALL JUNE NINE INSTANT.

BOSTON OFFICE HAS NOT CONDUCTED ANY ACTIVE INVESTIGATION  
OF ORGANIZATION KNOWN AS VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
(VVAW) OR ANY OF ITS MEMBERS.

A CONVISS OF ALL AGENTS HANDLING SECURITY INVESTIGATIONS  
IN BOSTON DIVISION REVEALS THAT NO INDIVIDUAL MEMBER OR  
LEADER OF VVAW HAS EVER BEEN APPROACHED FOR INTERVIEW CONCERNING  
VVAW.

NO BOSTON INFORMANTS OR SOURCES HAVE BEEN TARGETED TOWARD  
VVAW, AND NO PERSON HAS BEEN OFFERED MONEY TO PROVIDE  
INFORMATION CONCERNING VVAW.

INFORMATION CONCERNING VVAW PREVIOUSLY  
FURNISHED TO BUREAU BY BOSTON WAS OBTAINED FROM PUBLIC SOURCE  
MATERIAL OR ESTABLISHED PO SOURCES WHO WERE CONCERNED WITH  
DEMONSTRATIONS IN WHICH VVAW TOOK PART.

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TO DIRECTOR 100-448092

ATTN. DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK 100-160644

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS-MISC,  
OO-NY.

THE FILES OF THE NEW YORK OFFICE REFLECT THAT NO  
INFORMANT THIS OFFICE HAS BEEN DIRECTED TO WORK FULL  
TIME IN THE VVAW OBTAINING INFORMATION REGARDING  
THE VVAW NOR IS THERE ANY INFORMANT CURRENTLY FURNISHING  
INFORMATION REGARDING THIS GROUP.

AGENTS OF THE NEW YORK OFFICE HANDLING NEW LEFT,  
RACIAL OR RELATED MATTERS HAVE BEEN CANVASSED AND NONE  
EVER MADE OFFERS OF MONEY IN ANY AMOUNT TO REGIONAL  
COORDINATORS OF VVAW OR ANY MEMBERS OF THE VVAW  
TO BECOME PAID INFORMERS.

THE VVAW IS NOT INVESTIGATED PER SE AND THE ACTIVITIES  
OF THE GROUP ARE FOLLOWED FROM AN INTELLIGENCE STAND-  
POINT WITH REGARD TO POSSIBLE VIOLATIONS OF ANTI-RIOT  
LAW.

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LAW STATUTES OR OTHER FEDERAL STATUTES WITHIN THE  
BUREAU'S JURISDICTION.

THIS MATTER WILL CONTINUED TO BE FOLLOWED.

ADMINISTRATIVE

RE NY TEL TO BUREAU DATED JUNE EIGHT NINETEEN SEVENTY  
ONE AND BUTELCALL TO NEWYORK JUNE NINE SEVENTY ONE.

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

6-10-80

BY SP2 TAP-JRM-JAB/14/71

Attached relates that about 15 members of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) held a press conference on the steps of the old Senate Office Building in Washington, D. C., on 6/14/71. They announced planned demonstrations throughout this week, during which 2 VVAW members from each state will arrive in D. C. this week and begin intensive lobbying in support of the Hatfield-Mc Govern Amendment.

Information in attached concerning the attempt to locate and interview [REDACTED]

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This information, of course, is completely false and with your approval we are attempting to locate and interview [REDACTED] and request that he produce specific facts to support his allegations or cease making them.

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WHERE SHOWN OTHERWISE

Information concerning the demonstrations has been furnished to the Inter-Division Information Unit. Pertinent parts will be included in summary to the White House, Vice President, Attorney General, Defense Intelligence Agency and Secret Service.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448092)

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS OASH  
MISCELLANEOUS, OFFICE OF ORIGIN, NEW YORK.

REFERENCE WASHINGTON FIELD (WFO) NITEL TO DIRECTOR,  
JUNE NINE LAST, [REDACTED] TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JUNE ELEVEN LAST,  
AND KANSAS CITY TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JUNE ELEVEN LAST,  
CAPTIONED "PROPOSED HUNGER STRIKE BY VVAW, WASHINGTON, D.C.  
(WOC), JUNE FOURTEEN DASH TWENTYTWO SEVENTYONE, IS DASH  
MISCELLANEOUS, OFFICE OF ORIGIN, WFO."

THIS DATE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES  
CAPITOL POLICE ADVISED THAT FROM APPROXIMATELY TEN FIFTEEN  
TO TEN FORTYFIVE A.M., VVAW MEMBERS HELD A PRESS CONFERENCE  
ON THE STEPS OF THE OLD SENATE OFFICE BUILDING,  
CONSTITUTION AND DELAWARE AVENUES NORTHEAST, WDC. APPROXIMATELY  
FIFTEEN VVAW MEMBERS INCLUDING AL HUBBARO, JACK MALLORY,  
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MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

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MEMBER OF THE VETERANS ORGANIZATION

MIKE PHALEN, PAUL GEFFERT, AND A "SKIP" ROBINSON (PHONETIC),  
A VVAW REPRESENTATIVE FROM CONNECTICUT, WERE PRESENT.

ABOVE INDIVIDUALS ANNOUNCED THAT THROUGHOUT THE WEEK,  
JUNE FOURTEEN OASH EIGHTEEN, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE, TWO  
VVAW MEMBERS FROM EACH STATE WILL ARRIVE IN WOC AND BEGIN  
INTENSIVE LOBBYING IN SUPPORT OF THE HATFIELD OASH MC GOVERN  
AMENOMENT IN THE SENATE AND THE NEOZI OASH WHALEN AMENOMENT  
IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, BOTH CALLING FOR AN ENO TO  
PARTICIPATION IN VIETNAM BY THE ENO OF THE CURRENT YEAR.

TO FACILITATE LOBBYING ACTIVITY, OFFICES HAVE BEEN  
OPENED AT THE HOTEL CONGRESSIONAL, ROOM SIX ZERO TWO AND  
IN THE OLD SENATE OFFICE BUILDING, ROOM ONE FIVE FOUR.

NO PUBLIC DEMONSTRATIONS ARE SCHEDULED AND LOBBYING  
IS THE ONLY ACTIVITY PLANNED.

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THIS DATE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE FBI CONTACTED [REDACTED] b7c

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] IN AN ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED] b7c

REGARDING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED

[REDACTED] AND NOT IN THE WOC AREA, BUT IS  
EXPECTED TO ARRIVE IN WDC "DURING THE WEEK." [REDACTED] WAS b7c

UNWILLING TO PROVIDE INFORMATION CONCERNING [REDACTED]

WHEREABOUTS, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR CONTACT UPON HIS ARRIVAL. b7c

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THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES CAPITOL POLICE  
IS [REDACTED] b7c

THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE FBI ARE SPECIAL AGENTS  
[REDACTED] b7c

b7c WFO WILL ATTEMPT TO INTERVIEW [REDACTED] UPON HIS ARRIVAL

IN WOC.

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JUN 15 1971

TO DIRECTOR 100-448092

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ATTN DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

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WASHINGTON FIELD 100-47162

FROM NEW YORK 100-160644

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS-MISC, OO-NY.

MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

ON JUNE FOURTEEN SEVENTY ONE, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS INTERVIEWED AT [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] TO ALLEGED EFFORTS OF THE FBI TO INFILTRATE THE VVAW. THE INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ALLEGED EFFORTS OF THE FBI WAS ACCUMULATED BY A VVAW MEMBER HE DECLINED TO IDENTIFY AND WAS DISCUSSED AT THE ST. LOUIS MEETING.

[REDACTED] CONTENDED THAT THIS INFORMATION WHICH CONSISTS OF THE NAMES OF FBI AND CIO (CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE DIVISION, UNITED STATES ARMY) AGENTS WHO ALLEGEDLY CONTACTED VVAW MEMBERS WITH OFFERS OF MONEY TO ACT AS INFORMERS IN THE VVAW, THE VVAW MEMBERS SO CONTACTED AND THE DATES AND PLACES OF THE CONTACTS

[REDACTED] AND WILL BE RELEASED TO THE PUBLIC AT AN UNDETERMINED TIME.

[REDACTED] STATED THAT THE LIST DOES NOT CONTAIN A BREAKDOWN AS TO WHETHER THE ALLEGED CONTACTS WAS MADE BY THE FBI OR CIO.

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REAQTEL TO THE BUREAU, NEW YORK AND WFO, JUNE ELEVEN,  
LAST.

INTERVIEWING AGENTS WERE [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] b7c b7c

BOSTON AND WFO WILL ATTEMPT TO [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AT LOCATIONS REFERED TO ABOVE. FOR INFORMATION OF  
BOSTON, A NEWS ARTICLE APPEARED IN JUNE SEVEN LAST, ISSUE OF  
ST. LOUIS GOLBE OEMOCRATE CONCERNING VVAW LEAODERSHIP MEETING  
HELD IN ST. LOUIS, JUNE FOUR-SIX, LAST. ROTHMAN AS VVAW  
SPOKESMAN STATED THAT SEVERAL MEMBERS OF VVAW HAVE BEEN OFFEREO ONE  
HUNOREO FIFTY DOLLARS PER MONTH TO ACT AS INFORMERS FOR FEDERAL  
GOVERMENT, THAT THE VVAW PLANS TO PRESENT MORE SPECIFIC  
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CHARGERS TO CONGRESS, THAT THE VVAW MEMBERS IN KANSAS CITY, NEW YORK, HOUSTON, PHILADELPHIA AND BOSTON WERE OFFERED THE MONEY BY PERSONS IDENTIFYING THEMSELVES AS FBI AGENTS. ROTHMAN ALSO STATED THAT INVESTIGATION BY GOVERNMENT AGENCIES OF VVAW MEMBERS HAVE RESULTED IN THE LOSS OF JOBS. THE BUREAU CHECKED THE OFFICES INVOLVED AND DETERMINED THAT NO AGENTS HAD APPROACHED ANY VVAW MEMBER FOR INFORMATION OF THE GROUP, THE VVAW WAS NOT UNDER INVESTIGATION BY THE BUREAU, THAT ITS ACTIVITIES WERE MERELY BEING FOLLOWED FOR ANY REVOLUTIONARY TYPE ACTIVITY, AND THE BUREAU HAS NO INFORMANTS DIRECTED PRIMARILY AGAINST THE VVAW.

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GLASSES.

NEW YORK WILL ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN DETAILS OF ALLEGATIONS [REDACTED]

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1145 PM NITEL 6-9-71

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448092) (ATTN: DOMESTIC  
INTELLIGENCE DIVISION)

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Miss Gandy	_____

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS- MISC.,  
OO: NEW YORK.

RE NEW YORK TEL JUNE EIGHT, LAST.

ADVISED JUNE NINE,  
INSTANT THAT LOCAL LEADERS OF VVAW WERE UNAWARE OF PROPOSED  
PRESS CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON, DC THIS WEEK TO EXPOSE  
OVERTURES BY THE FBI.

WFO CHECKING OTHER SOURCES FOR ANY AVAILABLE  
INFORMATION AND WILL SUTEL RESULTS. P.

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1047PM NITEL 6-9-71 [REDACTED] b7c

TO WASHINGTON (100-455107) ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION  
FROM ST. LOUIS (100-21603)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) REGIONAL COORDINATORS  
MEETING, SLMO, JUNE FIVE AND SIX, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE (VIDEM)

RE ST. LOUIS AIRTEL AND LHM JUNE SEVEN SEVENTYONE,  
BUTELCALL JUNE NINE, SEVENTYONE. b7c [REDACTED]

ST. LOUIS NOT CONDUCTING ACTIVE INVESTIGATION OF VVAW.  
ST. LOUIS IS FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES THROUGH ST. LOUIS POLICE  
DEPARTMENT, PUBLIC SOURCE INFORMATION, AND [REDACTED] b7c b7D  
NO ST. LOUIS INFORMANTS CURRENTLY BEING PAID FOR COVERAGE OF VVAW.

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6:56PM URGENT 6-9-71

TO DIRECTOR (100-455107)

(ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION)

FROM HOUSTON (100-12219)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR. (VVAW), IS - MISC.

RE BU TELCALL TODAY.

NO AGENTS HOUSTON DIVISION HAVE CONTACTED MEMBERS OF VIETNAM  
VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR FOR DEVELOPMENT AS INFORMANTS. VIETNAM  
VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR HAS NOT BEEN UNDER INVESTIGATION BY  
HOUSTON DIVISION AND NO HOUSTON INFORMANTS ARE TARGETED AGAINST  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR.

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6:47PM URGENT 6/11/71

TO: DIRECTOR (100-455107),

NEW YORK (100-160644)

WASHINGTON FIELD

FROM:

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW).

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REBUTEL CALL THIS DATE.

FOR INFO OF NEW YORK AND WFO, RE CALL CONCERNED NEWSPAPER  
ARTICLE IN ST. LOUIS GLOBE DISPATCH THAT LARRY ROTTMAN, CORRALES,  
N.M., NEWLY ELECTED TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, VVAW, ALLEGED  
MEMBERS OF VVAW HAD BEEN APPROACHED BY THE FBI IN KANSAS CITY,  
NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, BOSTON AND HOUSTON TO ACT AS INFORMANTS  
AGAINST THE GROUP AND HAD BEEN OFFERED UP TO ONE HUNDRED FIFTY  
DOLLARS FOR INFORMATION. CHECK HAD BEEN MADE WITH THE VARIOUS  
OFFICES INVOLVED AND THEY HAD CONFIRMED THESE WERE FALSE  
STATEMENTS AND NO AGENTS HAD APPROACHED ANY VVAW MEMBER FOR  
INFORMATION ON THE GROUP, THE VVAW WAS NOT UNDER INVESTIGATION  
BY THE BUREAU, BUT ITS ACTIVITIES WERE MERELY BEING FOLLOWED FOR  
ANY REVOLUTIONARY TYPE ACTIVITY, AND THE BUREAU HAS NO INFORMANTS

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DIRECTED PRIMARILY AGAINST THE VVAW. RDTTMAN STATED THEY WOULD  
MAKE MORE SPECIFIC CHARGES LATER ON. HE ALSO ALLEGED  
INVESTIGATION HAS BEEN CONDUCTED ON VVAW MEMBERS BY OTHER  
GOVERNMENT AGENCIES RESULTING IN THEIR LOSING JOBS.

DIRECTOR HAS INSTRUCTED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] AN IMMEDIATE TELETYPE

DIRECTED TO THE BUREAU. *u* *b7c*  
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*b7c* [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
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INQUIRY UNIVERSITY OF [REDACTED] HAS DETERMINED LOCAL  
OFFICE, STUDENT UNION BUILDING, UNIVERSITY OF [REDACTED] OF  
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VVAW CLOSED. U [REDACTED] CURRENTLY BETWEEN SEMESTERS.

NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON FIELD REQUESTED TO MAKE APPROPRIATE  
INQUIRIES OFFICES OF VVAW TO DETERMINE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PER BUREAU INSTRUCTIONS.)

[REDACTED] WILL CONTINUE EFFORTS TO DETERMINE CURRENT  
[REDACTED]  
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INTERNAL SECURITY - [REDACTED]  
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TO DIRECTOR

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM WASHINGTON FIELD

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)

EFFORTS TO LOCATE [REDACTED] FOR INTERVIEW NEGATIVE.

EFFORTS TO LOCATE ACTIVELY CONTINUING AND BUREAU WILL BE  
 IMMEDIATELY ADVISED OF RESULTS.

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740 PM URGENT 6-13-71

TO DIRECTOR (100-455107)

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK (100-160644)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)

RE [REDACTED] TEL TO BUREAU JUNE ELEVEN, SEVENTY ONE.

EFFORTS AT NEW YORK JUNE TWELVE, SEVENTY ONE TO

DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WERE UNSUCCESSFUL WHEN NEW VVAW NATIONAL OFFICE  
WAS FOUND CLOSED.

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EFFORTS TO CONTINUE EARLY JUNE FOURTEEN, SEVENTY ONE

WHEN IT IS ANTICIPATED VVAW OFFICE WILL BE STAFFED.

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## Domestic Intelligence Division

## INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 6/21/71

It was previously reported that during Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) meeting, St. Louis, 6/4-6/71, allegations were made that FBI Agents had offered VVAW members up to \$150 to become informers against VVAW. Our New York Office (NYO) vigorously pursued this matter with VVAW Headquarters, New York City, but VVAW resorted to delaying tactic stating no information would be forthcoming pending meeting of VVAW Executive Committee. This meeting was postponed repeatedly, and when it became obvious VVAW had no supporting facts whatsoever, we discontinued, with the Director's approval, further investigation in this matter. \

Attached relates VVAW Headquarters contacted NYO today (6/21/71) and stated Executive Committee meeting held and decision made not to release any information to FBI since VVAW certain alleged contacts were made by FBI Agents. This move is not surprising and is further indication VVAW allegations are unfounded.

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TO DIRECTOR 100-448092

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ATT DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK 100-160644 2P

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS-MISC.

ON JUNE TWENTY ONE, INSTANT, AT ELEVEN FORTY AM,

NYC, CONTACTED

SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] BY TELEPHONE AND ADVISED THAT A MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE VVAW WAS HELD ON JUNE EIGHTEEN, LAST, CONCERNING THE ALLEGATIONS MADE BY THE VVAW THAT THE FBI HAD ATTEMPTED TO INFILTRATE THE VVAW BY CONTACTING CERTAIN OF ITS MEMBERS AND OFFERING THEM MONEY TO ACT AS INFORMERS ON THE ORGANIZATION.

[REDACTED] STATED IT WAS DECIDED AT THIS MEETING THAT THE VVAW WOULD FURNISH NO INFORMATION TO THE FBI CONCERNING THESE ALLEGATIONS BECAUSE THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE VVAW HAS SATISFIED ITSELF THAT THE CONTACTS MADE OF ITS MEMBERS WERE MADE BY FBI AGENTS. HE STATED HE COULD FURNISH NO FURTHER INFORMATION AT THIS TIME.

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RENYTEL, JUNE SIXTEEN, LAST, AND BUREAU TEL TO NEW  
YORK, JUNE EIGHTEEN, LAST. U

AIR MAIL COPIES TO [REDACTED] BOSTON AND WFO.

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CC-MR. TOLSON

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1025 AM IMMEDIATE 6-15-71

TO DIRECTOR (100-448092)

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

BOSTON

NEW YORK (100-160644)

FROM WASHINGTON FIELD (100-47162) 2P

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), INTERNAL SECURITY  
DASH MISCELLANEOUS, OO NY.

THIS DATE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE METROPOLITAN POLICE  
DEPARTMENT (MPD), WASHINGTON, D.C. (WDC), ADVISED THAT A RELIABLE  
MPO SOURCE REPORTED THAT FOLLOWING THE ATTEMPT

INFORMATION CAME TO THE SOURCE

ATTENTION THAT

SOURCE WAS OF THE OPINION

BUT COULD PROVIDE NO FURTHER DETAILS.

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REFERENCE WASHINGTON FIELD (WFO) TELETYPE JUNE  
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THE MPO REPRESENTATIVE IS [REDACTED] MPO *b7c*  
INTELLIGENCE DIVISION, WDC. U

NEW YORK ATTEMPT TO VERIFY ABOVE BY TELEPHONIC CONTACT WITH  
NEW YORK PORT AUTHORITY POLICE AT LA GUARDIA AND KENNEDY  
AIRPORTS. U

WFO WILL INTERVIEW [REDACTED] UPON ARRIVAL IN WDC. P.

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TO DIRECTOR 100-448092

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - MISC. 00:NY.

NEW YORK PORT AUTHORITY POLICE

DEPARTMENT (NYPAPD), NYC, ADVISED ON JUNE FIFTEEN, INSTANT, THAT A SURVEY CONDUCTED BY HIM OF LA GUARDIA AIRPORT, NYC, NEWARK, NEW JERSEY AIRPORT, AND THE KENNEDY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, NYC, ALL POLICED BY THE NYPAPD, REVEALED NO INFORMATION CONCERNING

ON JUNE FIFTEEN, INSTANT,

JUN 25 1971

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RENYTEL TO BUREAU [REDACTED] BOSTON AND WFO,  
JUNE FIFTEEN, INSTANT, WFTOTEL TO BUREAU, [REDACTED] BOSTON  
AND NEW YORK, JUNE FIFTEEN, INSTANT.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS-MISC., OO: NEW YORK.

INQUIRY AT VVAW OFFICE SIXTYFIVE A WINTHROP ST., CAMBRIDGE,  
MASS. JUNE FIFTEEN INSTANT

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ADMINISTRATIVE: RE NY TELETYPE TO BUREAU, ALBUQUERQUE, WFO,  
BOSTON JUNE FIFTEEN INSTANT. NAME OF ONE CONTACTING SA AND BOSTON  
OFFICE TELEPHONE NUMBER LEFT AT ABOVE VVAW OFFICE WITH REQUEST THAT

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VVAW OFFICE PROMPTLY STATED IT WOULD FULLY COMPLY  
WITH INSTANT REQUEST. BOSTON WILL IMMEDIATELY  
UPON LEARNING BOSTON AREA. REC-24

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RECIPIENTS FURNISH BOSTON ANY AVAILABLE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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DEMONSTRATIONS SPONSORED BY THE COALITION TO TAKE BROOKLYN  
OUT OF THE WAR AND THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
AT PROSPECT PARK, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, JUNE NINETEEN - TWENTY  
SEVENTYONE, IS - INFO CONCERNING.

ON JUNE SEVENTEEN, LAST, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO  
HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST, FURNISHED A  
LEAFLET ANNOUNCING A "PROSPECT PARK PEACE WEEKEND," JUNE  
NINETEEN - TWENTY, NEXT, AT PROSPECT PARK, BROOKLYN, SPONSORED  
BY THE COALITION TO TAKE BROOKLYN OUT OF THE WAR AND THE VVAW.

DEMONSTRATORS WILL ASSEMBLE AT TWELVE NOON, JUNE  
NINETEEN, NEXT, AT KINGS HIGHWAY AND OCEAN PARKWAY, BROOKLYN,  
AND MARCH TO THE LONG MEADOW IN PROSPECT PARK. AT NINE PM IN  
THE LONG MEADOW, THE VVAW WILL CONDUCT A CANDLELIGHT SERVICE TO  
BE FOLLOWED BY FILMS AND "RAP" SESSIONS.

DEMONSTRATORS ARE REQUESTED TO BRING CAMPING GEAR AND  
FOOD FOR A FULL NIGHT OF RAPPING ABOUT WHAT THE WAR MEANS TO  
BROOKLYN.

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ON JUNE TWENTY, NEXT, AT TWELVE NOON, A GUERRILLA THEATRE INVOLVING MOCK SEARCH AND DESTROY MISSIONS WILL BE PERFORMED BY THE VVAW. AT TWO PM, A PEACE RALLY WILL BE HELD.

A PARTIAL LIST OF SPONSORS OF THE COALITION TO TAKE BROOKLYN OUT OF THE WAR INCLUDES POLITICAL LEADERS IN BROOKLYN, THREE CONGRESSMEN, ONE NEW YORK STATE SENATOR, EIGHT NEW YORK STATE ASSEMBLYMEN, THREE NYC COUNCILMEN, AND NUMEROUS POLITICAL AND LABOR ORGANIZATIONS.

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ADMINISTRATIVE ---

RENYAT AND LHM, JUNE ELVEN, LAST, CAPTIONED, "VVAW." *b7c*

SOURCE IS [REDACTED] (NOT ASSOCIATED WITH VVAW).

NYO WILL COVER THROUGH SOURCES AND NYCPD, WHICH IS COGNIZANT.

BECAUSE ACTIVITIES APPEAR TO BE LEGITIMATELY POLITICAL IN NATURE AND BECAUSE OF RECENT ALLEGATIONS OF VVAW LEADERSHIP  
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THAT THE GOVERNMENT INCLUDING THE FBI HAS BEEN ATTEMPTING TO INFILTRATE THE VVAW NO AGENT COVERAGE WILL BE AFFORDED THESE DEMONSTRATIONS IN ORDER TO AVOID ANY POSSIBLE EMBARRASSMENT TO THE BUREAU, UACB.

NYO WILL ADVISE.

IF INFORMATION DISSEMINATED CLASSIFY, "~~CONFIDENTIAL~~" IN ORDER TO PROTECT SOURCE.

NYO INDICES NEGATIVE CONCERNING COALITION TO TAKE BROOKLYN OUT OF THE WAR.

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TO DIRECTOR ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

KANSAS CITY

FROM LOS ANGELES (100-77703) 2P.

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE, KANSAS CITY  
JULY THREE DASH FIVE NEXT, IS DASH ANA, 00: KANSAS CITY.

ON INSTANT DATE, SOURCE TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED LOS ANGELES OFFICE

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PCPJ IS SELF DESCRIBED AS HEADQUARTERED IN WASHINGTON, D.C., CONSISTING OF OVER ONE HUNDRED ORGANIZATIONS USING MASSIVE, NON VIOLENT CIVIL DISTURBANCE TO COMBAT RACISM, POVERTY, REPRESSION AND WAR.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE,  
KANSAS CITY, JULY THREE - FIVE, SEVENTY-ONE, IS - MISCELLANEOUS.

RELATEL JUNE TWENTY-TWO LAST.

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FOR INFORMATION RECIPIENTS VVAW NOT UNDER ACTIVE INVESTI-  
GATION BY FBI SINCE TO DATE NO INFORMATION DEVELOPED INDICATING  
SUBVERSIVE CONNECTIONS.

KANSAS CITY PROMPTLY FURNISH BUREAU ALL DETAILS AVAILABLE  
CONCERNING CAPTIONED. KANSAS CITY AFFORD CAPTIONED DISCREET LOCAL  
COVERAGE THROUGH ESTABLISHED SOURCES ONLY TO DETERMINE ~~AND~~ IF  
KNOWN VIOLENCE-PRONE OR EXTREMIST INDIVIDUALS IN ATTENDANCE AND  
IF ACTIVITIES DISCUSSED CONTRARY TO U.S. INTERNAL SECURITY  
INTERESTS. SUTEL SIGNIFICANT INFORMATION DEVELOPED BUREAU AND  
OTHER INTERESTED OFFICES. **SULHM** ALL POSITIVE INFORMATION  
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TELETYPE TO LOS ANGELES, et al  
RE: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE,  
KANSAS CITY, JULY 3-5, SEVENTY-ONE  
100-448092

NOTE:

 Although we are not actively investigating VVAW, its activities are followed to determine involvement of extremists and/or potential for violence involved in VVAW plans. It is not felt in Bureau's best interest  and Kansas City being instructed to afford only discreet local coverage through established sources only for specific purpose of obtaining intelligence regarding possible violence or disruptions.

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CVM IS AD HOC GROUP OF VIETNAM VETERANS OPPOSED TO  
WAR IN VIETNAM, FORMERLY KNOWN AS VVAW, IN CALIFORNIA.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE LA TEL TO BUREAU CAPTIONED, "PEOPLE'S COALITION FOR  
PEACE AND JUSTICE, IS DASH PCPJ, OO: WASHINGTON FIELD", JUNE  
EIGHTEEN LAST.

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FROM PHOENIX (100-NEW) (THREE PAGES)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR - PROTEST DEMONSTRATION,  
OEL WEBB TOWNEHOUSE, PHOENIX ARIZONA, SPEECH OF VICE-PRESIDENT  
SPIRO T. AGNEW, YOUNG REPUBLICAN CONVENTION, JUNE TWENTYFIVE  
NINETEEN SEVENTYONE; PHOENIX, ARIZONA; VIOEM.  
Vietnam Demonstration

A SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN  
THE PAST ADVISED ON JUNE TWENTYFIVE NINETEEN SEVENTYONE THAT A  
GROUP CALLING THEMSELVES THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE  
WAR (VVAW), TEMPE, ARIZONA HAVE INDICATED THAT THEY PLAN TO  
CONDUCT A QUIET AND PEACEFUL PICKETLINE-TYPE DEMONSTRATION  
COMMENCING AT SEVEN PM ON THE SIDEWALK ACROSS THE STREET FROM  
THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE OEL WEBB TOWNEHOUSE, ONE ZERO ZERO

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EAST CLARENDON, PHOENIX, ARIZONA. VICE-PRESIDENT SPIRO T. AGNEW IS SCHEDULED TO ADDRESS THE NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE YOUNG REPUBLICANS BEING HELD AT THE TOWNHOUSE AT THAT SAME HOUR. THE VIETNAM VETERANS HAVE ADVISED THAT THEIR PURPOSE IN THIS DEMONSTRATION IS TO BRING TO THE ATTENTION OF VICE-PRESIDENT AGNEW AND OTHERS AN AWARENESS OF THEIR TWOFOLD DEMANDS: ONE. TO STOP THE GENOCIDE OF THE UNITED STATES IN SOUTHWEST ASIA AND TWO. TO END THE WAR IN VIETNAM.

THE PROTEST GROUP HAS PREPARED A SERIES OF QUESTIONS WHICH THEY HOPE TO PRESENT IN PERSON TO VICE-PRESIDENT AGNEW FOR HIS ANSWERS.

THE VVAW IS SOLICITING ONLY VETERANS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DEMONSTRATION BUT THEY HAVE INDICATED THAT THEY WOULD NOT TURN OTHERS AWAY. ANY NON-VETERANS PARTICIPATING WILL BE ASKED TO HONOR THE DESIRES OF THE VVAW TO ASSURE THAT THE DEMONSTRATION IS QUIET AND PEACEFUL.

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SOURCE STATED HE ESTIMATES FEWER THAN FIFTY PERSONS PARTICIPATING IN THE DEMONSTRATION.

AGENT [REDACTED] b7c SECRET SERVICE, PHOENIX AND

b7c [REDACTED] PHOENIX PD, WERE BOTH ADVISED OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION ON JUNE TWENTYFIVE NINETEEN SEVENTYONE. MR.

b7c [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT VICE-PRESIDENT AGNEW IS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE IN PHOENIX AT FOUR PM AND TO DEPART FROM PHOENIX EN ROUTE TO CALIFORNIA NO LATER THAN TEN PM, JUNE TWENTYFIVE NINETEEN SEVENTYONE. b2 b7D

ADMINISTRATIVE. [REDACTED] IS SOURCE MENTIONED ABOVE. BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED OF DEVELOPMENTS. NO LHM FOLLOWS. ~~CORRECTION PAGE THREE, LINE SEVEN, WORD~~  
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TO DIRECTOR (100-448092)

(ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE)

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ST. LOUIS

FROM PHILADELPHIA (100-51647)

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) IS - ANTI WAR GROUP

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION  
IN THE PAST ON JUNE TWENTY TWO SEVENTY ONE ADVISED THE VVAW WILL  
HOLD A NATIONAL CONVENTION IN KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, JULY FOUR -  
SIX SEVENTY ONE.

ON JUNE TWENTY NINE SEVENTY ONE, THIS SOURCE ADVISED THE  
PHILADELPHIA VVAW PLANNED TO PURCHASE A SECOND HAND SCHOOL BUS  
ON JUNE THIRTY SEVENTY ONE. ON THE NIGHT OF JULY ONE, SEVENTY  
ONE, APPROXIMATELY FORTY PHILADELPHIA VVAW MEMBERS WILL DEPART  
PHILADELPHIA IN THE BUS ENROUTE TO THE VVAW CONVENTION AT KANSAS  
CITY, MISSOURI. THEY WILL RETURN TO PHILADELPHIA JULY FIVE  
SEVENTY ONE.

IN KANSAS CITY ON JULY FOUR SEVENTY ONE THE VVAW IS PLANNING  
TO HOLD A PARADE. THE PARADE WILL BE IN COMPETITION WITH EITHER  
A VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OR AMERICAN LEGION PARADE SCHEDULED

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FOR THAT DATE IN KANSAS CITY. BOTH PARADES WILL TAKE DIFFERENT ROUTES BUT ARRIVE AT THE SAME LOCATION WHERE A FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE. *u*

ADMINISTRATIVE:

REFERENCE: ST. LOUIS AIRTEL AND LHM JUNE SEVENTH SEVENTY ONE REFLECTING VVAW PLANNED DEMONSTRATION JULY THIRD - FIFTH SEVENTY ONE AT KANSAS CITY WITH AT LEAST FIVE HUNDRED IN ATTENDANCE.

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*[REDACTED]* WA D C FBI

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HE HAS BEEN

DUR THE PAST YEAR HAS BEEN

HE IMMEDIATELY STATED "I AM NOT A FAN OF THE FBI" AND THEN STATED HE RESPECTED THE FBI'S ABILITY AND WAS INFLUENCED IN RESPECTING THE FBI BY ITS INVESTIGATION CONCERNING NANCY MORGAN, A MURDERED VISTA WORKER IN NORTH CAROLINA.

SCOTT CAMIL, A STUDENT FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA WHO IS SOUTHEAST REGIONAL COORDINATOR FOR VVAW, AND THURSTON HELMS, A DELEGATE FROM THE MIAMI AREA. HELMS WAS RECENTLY DISCHARGED FROM THE U. S. ARMY. CAMIL AND HELMS WERE TO ATTEND AS DELEGATES

CAMIL AND HELMS WERE TO FAST

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DURING THE RALLY [REDACTED]

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(PHONETIC)

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DURING CONVERSATIONS

TIONS

A FILM DOCUMENTARY KNOWN AS WINTER SOLDIER INVESTIGATION WHICH WAS FILMED IN DETROIT, MICHIGAN, AS WELL AS VALLEY FORGE MARCHES DURING THE SPRING, SEVENTYONE [REDACTED]

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KNOWLEDGE OF [REDACTED]  
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POWELTON (PHONETIC) SECTION

OF PHILADELPHIA AND MATERIALS FROM MEDIA RA BURGLARY ALLEGEDLY BEING DISSEMINATED FROM THAT AREA. GROUP ALLEGEDLY HAS GUERRILLA STYLE ALARM SYSTEM TO WARN OF APPROACHING POLICE OR FBI AGENTS WHICH CONSISTS OF RATTLING TRASHCANS AND OTHER UNKNOWN DEVICES. U

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HIKING TO WASHINGTON TO ATTEND RALLY.

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JACKSONVILLE FILES NEGATIVE [REDACTED] AND ACTIVITIES FOR [REDACTED]  
ALTAIR GROUP [REDACTED] AT FSU DISBANDED IN [REDACTED]

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ADDITIONAL CONTACTS WILL BE MADE WITH [REDACTED] AN EFFORT TO  
DEVELOP FURTHER HIS COOPERATION.

IN ATTEMPT TO CHECK HIS VERACITY. [REDACTED]  
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CHARLOTTE FURNISH ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING [REDACTED]  
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MIAMI OFFICE FURNISH JACKSONVILLE WITH ANY INFORMATION RELATIVE  
TO [REDACTED] b7c

TAMPA FURNISH IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION WITH [REDACTED] b7c  
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PHILADELPHIA ANALYZE [REDACTED] IN THE LIGHT OF PREVIOUS INVE-  
STIGATION CONCERNING MEDBERG IN AN EFFORT TO FURTHER EVALUATE HIS  
STORY. b7c b7D

JACKSONVILLE CONTACTING SOURCES IN TALLAHASSEE REGARDING ABOVE  
DESCRIBED EVENTS. ADDITIONAL INTERVIEWS WITH [REDACTED] TO  
ROUND OUT INFORMATION ALREADY FURNISHED. JACKSONVILLE UNABLE TO FULLY  
EVALUATE SLEWS INFORMATION BUT HE APPEARS TO BE SINCERE. b7c b7D

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TO DIRECTOR

CHARLOTTE

CHICAGO

MIAMI

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TAMPA

FROM JACKSONVILLE (52-2849)

MEDBERG.

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APPEARED AT THE PENSACOLA, FLA., RA JUNE  
EIGHTEEN, LAST, AND FURNISHED FOLLOWING INFO;

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TO DIRECTOR (52-94527)

MIAMI

TAMPA

JACKSONVILLE

FROM PHILADELPHIA (52-7165 SUB 0) 4P

MEDBURG

RE JACKSONVILLE TEL, JUNE TWENTY ONE, LAST, RE INTERVIEW WITH

JOE BORGART IN RE TEL IDENTICAL WITH JOSEPH V. BANGERT, PENN-  
SYLVANIA COORDINATOR OF PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER, VIETNAM VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)

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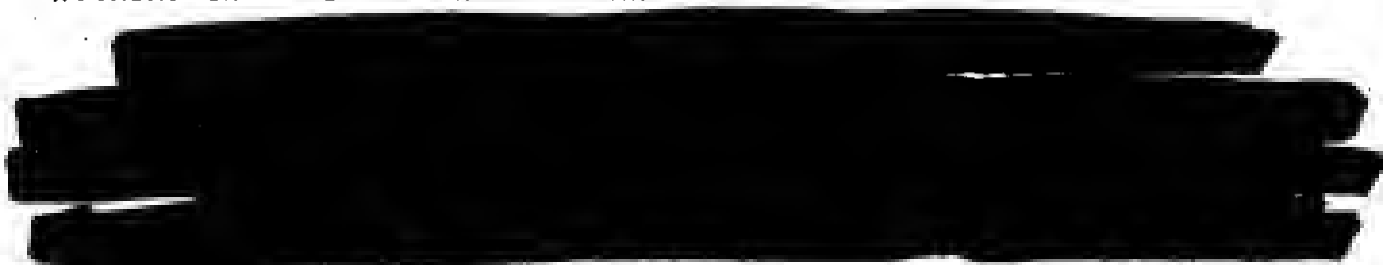
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ELIMINATED AS PRIME SUSPECT AND CONSIDERED PERIPHERAL MEOBURG  
SUSPECT SINCE HE MAY BE AWARE OF INDIVIDUALS WHO COMMITTED BURGLARY.  
RESIST HAS CONTRIBUTED TO VARIOUS AGENCIES COPIES OF DOCUMENTS AND  
MATERIAL TAKEN IN MEDIA RA BREAK IN.

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PHILADELPHIA RESISTANCE (PR), LOCAL ANTI DRAFT  
ORGANIZATION WHICH WAS RECIPIENT OF SOME COPIES OF DOCUMENTS STOLEN  
FROM MEDIA RA. DURING A BLOCK PARTY JUNE FIVE, LAST, COSPONSORED  
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BY PR COPIES OF STOLEN DOCUMENTS WERE EXHIBITED AND AUCTIONED AS  
PART OF ACTIVITIES. U

AS OF CURRENT DATE NO INDICATION OF [REDACTED] DIRECTLY  
INVOLVED IN MEDIA BREAK IN BUT AS INDICATED ABOVE INVOLVED IN POSSIBLE  
DISTRIBUTION OF COPIES, NOT ORIGINALS, OF STOLEN DOCUMENTS BY PR  
APPARENTLY RECEIVED FROM RESIST, CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

BASED ON ANALYSIS OF INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO PHILADELPHIA AND  
ANALYSIS OF [REDACTED] IT IS  
OPINION OF PHILADELPHIA THAT [REDACTED] HAS NO INFORMATION OF VALUE NOT  
ALREADY KNOWN TO PHILADELPHIA OR WHICH IS CONSIDERED MATERIAL IN  
SOLUTION THIS CASE. IT IS FURTHER NOTED THAT VVAW IN PHILADELPHIA  
MAINTAINS OFFICE AT PR HEADQUARTERS [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

PHILADELPHIA HAS INFORMANT COVERAGE OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PHILADELPHIA CONSIDERATION WILL BE GIVEN TO INTERVIEWING  
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[REDACTED] RE MEDBURG WITH INTERVIEW CONDUCTED IN MANNER NOT TO COM-  
PROMISE [REDACTED]

JACKSONVILLE IN ITS INDICATED FUTURE CONTACTS WITH [REDACTED] SHOULD  
ENCOURAGE HIM TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH [REDACTED] FOR POSSIBLE FUTURE  
INFORMATION WHICH MIGHT COME TO [REDACTED] ATTENTION REGARDING MEDBURG.  
AS WELL AS FUTURE PLANS OF VVAW.

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407PM URGENT 6-24-71

TO DIRECTOR 100-448092

ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIV.

LOS ANGELES 100-77703

MILWAUKEE

FROM KANSAS CITY 100-14574 2P

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE, KANSAS CITY  
JULY THREE - FIVE, SEVENTYONE. IS-MISC. VIOEM.

[REDACTED] WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST,  
ADVISED THAT JOHN UPTON [REDACTED], KANSAS CITY,  
MO., LEADER OF VVAW IN KANSAS CITY, APPLIED FOR AND RECEIVED  
PERMISSION FROM CITY, HALL, KCMO, TO HOLD A PARADE ON JULY FOUR,  
SEVENTYONE, FROM EIGHT THIRTY PM TO TEN PM. THIS PARADE IS TO  
FORM AT THE LIBERTY WAR MEMORIAL, PROCEED SOUTH ON WYANOOTTE,  
WEST ON THIRTYFIRST STREET, AND SOUTH ON BROADWAY TO A POINT  
NORTH OF FORTYSEVENTH STREET IN THE J.C. NICHOLS FOUNTAIN AREA.  
UPTON ESTIMATED BETWEEN SEVEN ZERO ZERO AND ONE FIVE ZERO ZERO  
INDIVIDUALS WILL PARTICIPATE.

[REDACTED] WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST,  
ADVISED THAT JOHN UPTON IS STAGING A CAMP - IN FOR VVAW FROM  
JULY THREE TO FIVE, SEVENTYONE, IN LIBERTY WAR MEMORIAL AREA.

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[REDACTED] ESTIMATED BETWEEN ONE ZERO ZERO AND TWO FIVE ZERO INDIVIDUALS MAY PARTICIPATE IN THIS VVAW CONFERENCE, JULY THREE - FIVE. [REDACTED] ADVISED THIS CONFERENCE IS BEING ADVERTISED AS NONVIOLENT. *b2 b7D*

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE BU TEL TO KANSAS CITY, LOS ANGELES AND MILWAUKEE JUNE TWO THREE LAST. *b2 b7D*

[REDACTED]

KANSAS CITY HAS ADVISED APPROPRIATE LOCAL AUTHORITIES, AND DISCREET LOCAL COVERAGE WILL BE MAINTAINED THRU ESTABLISHED SOURCES. *b7c b2*

[REDACTED]

KANSAS CITY WILL FOLLOW CAPTIONED MATTER WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND SUBMIT LHM.

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END *b7c*

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Date: 6/22/71

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REC-68

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-160644)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR (VVAW)  
IS-MISC  
(OO:NY)ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED  
DATE 11/21/92 BY 910 [redacted] b7cReNytel, 6/18/71, captioned, "DEMONSTRATIONS  
SPONSORED BY THE COALITION TO TAKE BROOKLYN OUT OF THE WAR AND  
THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK,  
6/19-20/71, IS-INFO, CONCERNING."Enclosed for the Bureau are 11 copies of an LHM  
concerning a peace march and rally in Brooklyn, NY, on  
6/19-20/71, sponsored by the Coalition to Take Brooklyn Out of  
the War and the VVAW.The confidential source utilized is [redacted] (not  
affiliated with the VVAW).The LHM is classified, "Confidential" in order to  
protect the identity of [redacted] a confidential informant of  
continuing value.

EX-109

3-Bureau (Encs. 11) (RM)  
(1-105-1 [redacted] VIDEM)

1-New York

AGENCY [redacted]  
REQ-REQ- [redacted]  
DATE FORW. [redacted]  
BY [redacted]

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Approved: [redacted]  
Special Agent in Charge

Sent [redacted] M Per [redacted]

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The indices of NY contain no information concerning the Coalition to Take Brooklyn Out of the War.

The representative of the NYCPD, Security and Investigations Section, [REDACTED] who furnished information to SA [REDACTED]

The following local agencies are being furnished <sup>b7c</sup> copies of the LHM:

- 4-108th MIG
- 1-NISO
- 1-OSI, USAF
- 1-Secret Service
- 1-USA, EDNY.



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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York

June 22, 1971

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Demonstrations Sponsored by the  
Coalition to Take Brooklyn Out  
of the War and the Vietnam  
Veterans Against the War at  
Prospect Park, Brooklyn, New York,  
June 19-20, 1971

A confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on June 21, 1971 that a march and demonstrations sponsored by an organization called The Coalition to Take Brooklyn Out of the War and the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) were held in Brooklyn, New York (NY) on June 19-20, 1971. U

On June 19, 1971, at about 11:15 a.m., demonstrators began gathering at the corner of Ocean Parkway and Kings Highway, Brooklyn, NY. The march started at about 1:30 p.m. and consisted of about 100 persons most of whom were dressed in army fatigue type clothing. Most of the marchers apparently were veterans. The march proceeded by way of Ocean Parkway, Campus Road and Flatbush Avenue into Prospect Park where it ended in the Long Meadow late in the afternoon. Some observers indicated hostility to the marchers but no incidents were noted. U

During the evening of June 19, 1971, rap sessions on the war were held by small groups. When darkness appeared the VVAW held a memorial service for the dead servicemen in Vietnam. U

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Demonstrations Sponsored by the  
Coalition to Take Brooklyn Out  
of the War and the Vietnam  
Veterans Against the War at  
Prospect Park, Brooklyn, New York,  
June 19-20, 1971

Approximately 250 persons, about 100 of whom were  
veterans, remained in the park overnight.

On June 20, 1971 at about 12:00 noon, the VVAW  
conducted mock "search and destroy" missions in the park.  
At about 2:00 p.m., a rally was held in the Long Meadow. It  
consisted of rock music and speeches. The speakers were  
mostly political figures including Representative Bella  
Abzug of Manhattan, New York City (NYC). The speeches all  
advocated a quick end to the war in Vietnam.

Another speaker was Sister Elizabeth McAllister who  
also spoke in opposition to the war in Vietnam.

Sister Elizabeth McAllister is publicly known as  
a Roman Catholic nun who is a member of the  
"Harrisburg Six," a group of individuals who were  
indicted by a Federal Grand Jury during January,  
1971, on charges of conspiracy to kidnap a high  
government official and to destroy government  
property.

A crowd of about 2,500-3,000 persons attended the rally.  
It ended about 4:00 p.m. No incidents or arrests were noted.

On June 21, 1971, a representative of the New York  
City Police Department, Security and Investigations Section,  
advised that the march and rally for peace in Prospect Park,  
Brooklyn, on June 19-20, 1971, took place without incident and  
that there were no arrests.

Copies of this document are being disseminated  
locally to the 108th Military Intelligence Group, the  
Investigative Service Office, the Office of Special Investigations  
of the United States Air Force, the Secret Service and the  
United States Attorney, Eastern District of New York.

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**TREAT AS YELLOW**

FBI

Date: 6-25-71

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TO: ☐ THE PRESIDENT☐ THE VICE PRESIDENT☐ ATT.: \_\_\_\_\_☐ WHITE HOUSE SITUATION ROOM☐ ATT.: \_\_\_\_\_☐ SECRETARY OF STATE☐ DIRECTOR, CIA☐ DIRECTOR, DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY☐ AND NATIONAL INDICATIONS CENTER☐ DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY☐ DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE☐ NAVAL INVESTIGATIVE SERVICE☒ U. S. SECRET SERVICE (PID)☐ ATTORNEY GENERAL (BY MESSENGER)☐ NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY, ATT: SENIOR OPERATION OFFICER☐**FIELD DISSEMINATION**ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
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Subject:

*Demonstration at Phoenix Arizona on  
6-25-71 pertaining Speed of the President by me*

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TO: U.S. SECRET SERVICE (PID)

FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI

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DEMONSTRATION AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA ON JUNE TWENTY FIVE, NINETEEN  
SEVENTYONE PROTESTING SPEECH OF VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW.

A SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN  
THE PAST ADVISED ON JUNE TWENTYFIVE NINETEEN SEVENTYONE THAT A  
GROUP CALLING THEMSELVES THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE  
WAR (VVAW), TEMPE, ARIZONA HAVE INDICATED THAT THEY PLAN TO  
CONDUCT A QUIET AND PEACEFUL PICKETLINE-TYPE DEMONSTRATION  
BEGINNING AT SEVEN PM ON THE SIDEWALK ACROSS THE STREET FROM  
THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE OEL WEBB TOWNHOUSE, ONE ZERO ZERO  
EAST CLAREHOOD, PHOENIX, ARIZONA. VICE-PRESIDENT SPIRO T. AGNEW  
IS SCHEDULED TO ADDRESS THE NATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE YOUNG  
REPUBLICANS BEING HELD AT THE TOWNHOUSE AT THAT SAME HOUR.  
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THE VIETNAM VETERANS HAVE ADVISED THAT THEIR PURPOSE IN THIS DEMONSTRATION IS TO BRING TO THE ATTENTION OF VICE-PRESIDENT AGNEW AND OTHERS AN AWARENESS OF THEIR TWO MAIN GOALS; ONE, TO STOP THE GENOCIDE OF THE UNITED STATES IN SOUTHEAST ASIA AND TWO, TO END THE WAR IN VIETNAM. U

THE PROTEST GROUP HAS PREPARED A SERIES OF QUESTIONS WHICH THEY HOPE TO PRESENT IN PERSON TO VICE-PRESIDENT AGNEW FOR HIS ANSWERS. U


THE VVAW IS SOLICITING ONLY VETERANS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DEMONSTRATION BUT THEY HAVE INDICATED THAT THEY WOULD NOT TURN OTHERS AWAY. ANY NON-VETERANS PARTICIPATING WILL BE ASKED TO HONOR THE DESIRES OF THE VVAW TO ASSURE THAT THE DEMONSTRATION IS QUIET AND PEACEFUL. ✓

SOURCE STATED HE ESTIMATES FEWER THAN FIFTY PERSONS PARTICIPATING IN THE DEMONSTRATION. U

b2c AGENT [REDACTED] SECRET SERVICE, PHOENIX AND [REDACTED] PHOENIX PO, WERE BOTH ADVISED OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION ON JUNE TWENTYFIVE NINETEEN SEVENTYONE. U

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 ADVISED THAT VICE-PRESIDENT AGNEW IS EXPECTED TO  
ARRIVE IN PHOENIX AT FOUR PM AND TO DEPART FROM PHOENIX EN  
ROUTE TO CALIFORNIA NO LATER THAN TEN PM, JUNE TWENTYFIVE,  
NINETEEN SEVENTYONE.

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APPROVED BY SA  *b2c*

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0453AM NITEL 6-26-71

TO: DIRECTOR ATTN: DIO

FROM: PHOENIX (100-7603)

TELETYPE

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR - PROTEST DEMONSTRATION, OEL  
WEBB TOWNEHOUSE, PHOENIX, ARIZONA, SPEECH OF VICE-PRESIDENT SPIRO  
T. AGNEW, YOUNG REPUBLICAN CONVENTION, JUNE TWENTYFIVE NINETEEN  
SEVENTYONE, PHOENIX, ARIZONA.

ON JUNE TWENTYFIVE SEVENTYONE, A SOURCE WHO HAS PROVIDED  
RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED A GROUP OF SIXTY DEMON-  
STRATORS GATHER ACROSS THE STREET FROM THE TOWNEHOUSE HOTEL  
DURING VICE-PRESIDENT AGNEW'S SPEECH TO THE NATIONAL YOUNG  
REPUBLICANS CONVENTION, PHOENIX, ARIZONA. FIVE PERSONS ASKED TO  
COME IN, HOWEVER RETURNED TO THE GROUP WHEN INFORMED BY OFFICIALS  
THEY WOULD NOT BE ADMITTED WITHOUT TICKETS. NO FURTHER ACTION  
WAS TAKEN BY THE DEMONSTRATORS WHO SAT FOR AWHILE AND THEN  
DEPARTED THE AREA. THE VICE-PRESIDENT HAS DEPARTED PHOENIX, AND  
NO OTHER DEMONSTRATIONS WERE ATTEMPTED.

ONE INCIDENT OCCURRED WHEN A PERSON IDENTIFIED AS (FNU)

WAS ARRESTED BY PHOENIX POLICE DEPARTMENT

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AND CHARGED WITH [REDACTED] AS KNOWN  
TO HAVE BEEN AT THE [REDACTED] OR A CONSI-  
DERABLE LENGTH OF TIME DURING THE EVENING. WHEN [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] WHEN APPROACHED  
BY PHOENIX POLICE OFFICERS HE MADE [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

IS CURRENTLY BEING BOOKED AND WILL BE QUESTIONED BY PHOENIX  
POLICE DEPARTMENT LATER. U

ADMINISTRATIVE:

SOURCE IS [REDACTED] PHOENIX POLICE DEPARTMENT. b7c  
SECRET SERVICE WAS AT THE SCENE AND IS AWARE OF ABOVE EVENTS.  
NO LHM FOLLOWS. U

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240PM URGENT 7-4-71

TO DIRECTOR FBI (100-448092)

ATTN: DID

FROM KANSAS CITY (100-14574)

TELETYPE

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE, KANSAS CITY,  
JULY THREE OASH FIVE, ONE NINE SEVEN ONE, IS-MISC; VIOEM.

A SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST  
ADVISED ONE HUNDRED TO ONE HUNDRED FIFTY INDIVIDUALS PRESENTLY CAMPING  
ON THE LIBERTY MEMORIAL KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI AND PARTICIPATING IN  
VVAW ACTIVITIES. SOURCE ADVISED MORE ONE TO ARRIVE TODAY AND A SILENT  
CANDELLIGHT MARCH TO BE HELD TONIGHT.

NO CONFRONTATION WITH POLICE.

ADMINISTRATIVE: KANSAS CITY FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES THROUGH SOURCE.

SOURCE IS CS

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1105AM URGENT 7/5/71

TO: DIRECTOR 100-448092 ATT: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION  
FROM: KANSAS CITY 100-14574 1P

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE, KANSAS CITY  
MISSOURI, JULY THREE - FIVE, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE, IS-MISCELLANEOUS  
VIDEM.

RE KANSAS CITY TELETYPE TO BUREAU JULY FOUR LAST.

A SOURCE, WHO HAS BEEN RELIABLE IN THE PAST, ADVISED NO  
CONFRONTATION BETWEEN LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND VVAW ACTIVITIES WHICH  
TOOK PLACE JULY FOUR LAST. SOURCE ADVISED ACTIVITIES TO END NOON  
TODAY.

ADMINISTRATIVE: KANSAS CITY CONTINUE TO FOLLOW ACTIVITIES  
THROUGH SOURCE. SOURCE IS

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920PM NITEL 7-5-71 [REDACTED] b2c

TO DIRECTOR, FBI (100-14574)

ATT: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM KANSAS CITY (100-14574)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE,  
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, JULY THREE DASH FIVE, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE,  
IS-MISCELLANEOUS, VIDEM. b2c

RE KANSAS CITY TELETYPE TO BUREAU INSTANT DATE SEVEN DASH  
FIVE DASH SEVENTYONE. b2c

CAPTIONED CONFERENCE ENDED MORNING INSTANT DATE.

NO CONFRONTATION WITH LOCAL POLICE.

LHM FOLLOWS.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 7/12/71

FROM : SAC, KANSAS CITY (100-14574) C

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE  
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI  
7/3-5/71  
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Re Kansas City teletype to Bureau dated 6/24/71,  
and Kansas City teletype to Bureau dated 7/5/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau are six copies of an LHM  
regarding captioned conference.

LHM is classified confidential because it contains  
sources and information, the unauthorized disclosure of  
which could have an adverse effect on the national defense  
interest.

Informants used are as follows:

[REDACTED] is C [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] is [REDACTED]

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2 Kansas City (1 [REDACTED])  
(1 - 100-14574)

(3) [REDACTED]

1 cc to: DIA, SS, RAD, ISD  
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R/S [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Kansas City, Missouri  
July 12, 1971

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DATE 10/28/93 BY [redacted]

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE,  
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI  
JULY 3-5, 1971

On July 4, 1971, [redacted] b2 b7D who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that the VVAW conference scheduled to be held in Kansas City, Missouri, July 3 through 5, 1971, began on July 3, 1971, as planned; however, due to bad weather, did not get started until the afternoon of July 3, 1971. Only about 150 individuals arrived and were present at 5:00 p.m. when various persons spoke at the Liberty Memorial. There were no confrontations with the police.

On July 5, 1971, [redacted] b2 b7D advised that activities continued on July 4, 1971, and out-of-town visitors continued to arrive. Guerrilla theatres were conducted in the morning. The highlight of the day was a candlelight march at 8:30 p.m. by all participants. [redacted] advised that there were no confrontations between participants and police on July 4, 1971.

On July 5, 1971, [redacted] b2 b7D advised that on the morning of July 5, 1971, activity centered around the laying of a wreath in the vicinity of the Liberty Memorial. Activities broke up at 11:00 a.m. and all visitors left Kansas City.

On July 8, 1971, [redacted] b2 b7D who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that by Sunday afternoon, July 4, 1971, 460 people had registered at the VVAW conference. [redacted] b2 b7D advised that activities were conducted without incident and broke up about noon on July 5, 1971.

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AND FIELD OFFICES  
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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE  
WAR (VVAW) CONFERENCE

The VVAW was founded in the spring of 1967 by six young Vietnam veterans in New York City. At the beginning of 1968, with 600 members, VVAW opened a national office, founded the first GI newspaper, "Vietnam GI", and sent close to 500 veterans into the McCarthy campaign to beat down the red baiters. After getting gassed at the Democratic convention at Chicago and caught in the general "down" of the peace movement, VVAW was nearly inactive until the moratoriums in the fall of 1969. Members of VVAW led student strikes on major campuses across the country and battled Veterans Administration Hospital authorities over threats to throw amputee Vietnam veterans out for signing anti-war petitions. At present, membership of the VVAW, nationally, consists of 8,500 members.

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Date: 7/9/71

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Via \_\_\_\_\_  
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-459771)

FROM: SAC, INDIANAPOLIS (100-21610) (P)

PEOPLES COMMISSION FOR PEACE  
AND JUSTICE (CPI)  
NATIONAL CONFERENCE  
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN  
6/25 - 27/71  
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ReBairtel, 6/10/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau and auxiliary offices are copies of [redacted] reflecting conference activities.

The confidential source who furnished information pertaining to activities at this conference from 6/25 - 26/71 is known to be reliable and has previously furnished information to this office.

The enclosed [redacted] is being classified confidential inasmuch as unauthorized disclosure of information furnished by the confidential source mentioned herein could reasonably result in identification of an informant of continuing value and jeopardize future effectiveness in furnishing information concerning the national defense.

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1 - Indianapolis

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/Special Agent in Charge

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Confidential source utilized in the attached LHM is

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Indianapolis, Indiana

July 9, 1971

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PEOPLES COALITION FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE (PCPJ)  
NATIONAL CONFERENCE  
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN  
JUNE 25 - 27, 1971

A confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised on June 23, 1971 of information pertaining to the above captioned conference.

On Friday evening, June 25, 1971, the Peoples Coalition for Peace and Justice conference was held at St. Michael's Church, 1445 North 24th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. A registration fee of \$5 was charged for this conference. Numerous leaflets were distributed at registration time furnishing the agenda for activities on June 26 and June 27, 1971. They were scheduled as follows:

Saturday, June 26

9:00 - 11:00 Plenary (Agents and Political Analysis; Distribution of all reports and proposals)

11:00 - 1:00 Project Workshops

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F.A.P.

Peoples Peace Treaty

Medical Rights

Sexism

Non-violent training

Tax resistance - alternate tax

Standard Oil boycott

GI's and Vets

Local organizing and coalition building

1:00 - 2:00

Lunch

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- 2:00 - 6:00 Regional Caucuses on issues and programs for summer and fall offensives - each caucus discusses some point
1. Set the dates for immediate withdrawal - 71
  2. Economic crisis - adequate income-urban services-unemployment-farm workers
  3. Political repression
  4. GI movement
  5. Memo from labor regarding MRAC
- 6:00 - 7:30 Supper and constituency caucuses
- 7:30 - 11:00 Plenary - program for summer and fall offensives. Reports from caucuses and any workshops ready to do so

Sunday, June 27

- 9:00 - 11:00 Regional caucuses; formation of local groups-structure
- 11:00 - 11:30 Dick Gregory
- 11:30 - 4:00 Plenary - 1. Formation of local groups-structure  
2. Further reports from caucuses
- 6:00 National Coordinating Committee

The groups were broken down into the following regional workshops scheduled at the school in the above numbered rooms:

### Regional Workshops

All rooms on second floor:

- Room 1 - Washington, D.C.  
Room 2 - New York  
5 - New England (Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island) -  
6 - Appalachia (Kentucky, Western Pennsylvania, Tennessee, West Virginia)

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- 7 - Middle Atlantic (Eastern Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey, Maryland)
- 8 - South (Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Arkansas, Georgia, Virginia, North and South Carolina)
- 9 - Mid West (Michigan, Ohio, Indiana)
- 11 - Midwest 2 (Iowa, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Minnesota, Missouri, Kansas)
- 12 - South West and Mountain (Nevada, Texas, Utah, Arizona, Oklahoma, Idaho, New Mexico, Colorado, Montana, Wyoming)
- 13 - Far West (California, Washington, Hawaii, Alaska, Oregon)

Basement

Youth Room - Illinois and Wisconsin

The confidential source advised that the Indiana delegation was holding a caucus concerning the activities of the Peoples Peace Treaty. A nine point program was being discussed by the group in an effort to accomplish the aims and objectives of the Peoples Peace Treaty. Approximately twenty delegates from the State of Indiana were present at this meeting. John Mc Auliff from Indianapolis mentioned that the Peoples Peace Treaty organization should obtain the endorsement of the individual who had stolen the Vietnam war papers and had furnished them to the New York Times. However, no direct resolutions were obtained from this meeting. At the conclusion of the conference on Friday, June 25, 1971, many of the members retired to the Friedman Church located nearby.

At approximately 8:30 AM on the morning of June 26, 1971, breakfast was held in the basement of St. Michael's Church. During breakfast it was mentioned that a demonstration was to be scheduled in support of the Welfare Rights organization of Milwaukee in the downtown Milwaukee area. Several members of the conference agreed to support this demonstration and proceeded to the downtown area.

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At approximately 10:30 AM, the group reassembled in the gymnasium where numerous speakers were assembled who discussed topics concerning the Peoples Peace Treaty and the results of the May Day actions in Washington, D.C. Some of these speakers were:

Did Lock  
Peter Rush  
David Lee  
Marilyn Cow  
Don Asher  
Don Segal  
Jack White

Did Lock spoke on May Day demonstrations in Washington, D.C. and the results of the demonstrations. Jack White stated that an armed revolution in the United States would not succeed and that the only way to take over this country was by an economic revolution. These speeches were concluded at approximately 12:00 PM.

At approximately 2:00 PM, a meeting was scheduled for the Vietnam Veterans Against the War. Leaflets were distributed setting forth nine objectives concerning the war in Vietnam. The following objectives were listed:

### OBJECTIVES OF VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE W.A.R., INCORPORATED

1. To demand an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indochina. We cannot allow one more human being to be killed in Indochina.
2. To demand Congress enact legislation for the immediate termination of all funds being utilized by the United States government, its allies and the Central Intelligence Agency to support their illegal operations in Latin America, Africa, China, Europe and the countries of Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos, and Thailand.
3. To demonstrate that our military tactics dehumanize soldiers and civilians, and to make clear the United States government is prosecuting an illegal, unjust and immoral war in Indochina.

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4. To show Americans that their society is structured by a racism which lets us view all non-whites as less than human. This racism pushes our minorities through inferior schools and into the combat arms. Thus, we send our minorities off to die in disproportionately high numbers while we kill Asians indiscriminately. We demand that the military recognize its complicity in America's domestic and international racism.
5. To make clear that the United States has never undertaken an extensive open investigation of American war crimes in Indochina. We demand that the United States government, in its war in Indochina, affirm the principles of Nuremberg. As former GI's, we recognize the responsibility of the individual soldier to refrain from committing war crimes. We also recognize that the responsibility and guilt of war crimes committed in the name of America lies with our policy makers at all levels.
6. To demand that all active-duty servicemen and women be afforded the rights as citizens that are guaranteed by the United States Constitution and Bill of Rights that are presently denied them by the Uniform Code of Military Justice. We are appalled that servicemen and women are treated as less-than-first-class citizens. We endorse the efforts of our active-duty sisters and brothers in their struggle to democratize the military.
7. To support all military personnel refusing to serve in wars of aggression at home and abroad. We demand Congress enact legislation for the immediate repatriation with full amnesty to those brothers and sisters who are in prison or in self-exile by reason of their refusal to serve in the military. We support all persons refusing to be drafted.
8. To demand immediate legislation to provide proper care and services for all veterans in V.A. hospitals; to make available job training and placement for every returning veteran; and to provide the funds and means necessary for their educational and vocational endeavors.
9. To affirm that the membership is not only concerned with ending this war, but changing the domestic social, political and economic institutions that have caused and permitted the continuance of war.

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It was also mentioned at this meeting that the GI's should demonstrate against the Tyrrell Jewelry Stores throughout the United States. These stores steal from GI's while they are serving on military duty.

A general discussion was held by the group concerning the nine point objectives of the group and a proposal was established as follows:

### THE PROPOSAL OF THE G.I. AND VETERANS

We feel it necessary to urge the PCPJ to establish Regional Bureaus and structures to implement programs around the G.I. Movement. We feel that the Peace Movement has failed to recognize the fact that the G.I. movement is an important, integral part of the immediate ending of the Indo-China War. Also, the G.I. movement with the support of P.C.P.J. can become an important force to defeat racism, repression and the imperialistic activities of this illegitimate government.

Therefore, we have enclosed several proposed guidelines for implementing a National or Regional program around the G.I. movement.

This meeting terminated at approximately 4:00 PM. A general meeting was scheduled at approximately 4:15 PM of the Midwest Regional Workshop consisting of the States of Michigan, Ohio and Indiana. Approximately one hundred people were gathered for this regional meeting and it was decided that the group should break up into State Units. The Indiana delegation met and discussed the possibility of setting up an Indiana Peoples Coalition for Peace and Justice. Janet Bayer and Marece Weagu were the main speakers for this organizational meeting. At approximately 5:00 PM, the group returned to a main unit where general discussion concerning Peoples Coalition for Peace and Justice was held. It was decided there that there is too much racism and that the group should prepare a statement concerning racism to be presented to the main groups.

The following resolution was submitted:

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### Preamble to the Mid Midwest Resolution

The mid midwestern caucus recognizes that the PCPJ must eradicate all manifestations of racism which exist within the movement. The inherent racism was evident when, following the Cambodian invasion, the Kent State murders became a major issue throughout the movement while the tragedies at Jackson State and the Chicago Moratorium activities in Los Angeles were almost totally ignored.

We must recognize this inconsistency of which we are all a part, and struggle now to align ourselves as members of the peace movement with the corresponding peace movement in the Third World.

The mid midwest caucus would like to present this resolution and demand its adoption by this conference.

Be it resolved: that the PCPJ make itself aware of facts concerning the repression of the Chicano Moratorium in September, 1970 and January, 1971 and the murder of a Chicano brother.

We urge that the PCPJ demand a Grand Jury investigation into the repression of the Chicano peace movement. Be it further resolved that the PCPJ will take decisive action to support all further Chicano activities.

At approximately 7:00 PM, the Veterans for Peace group reassembled and a discussion was held again pertaining to the objectives and aims of the Veterans for Peace.

The Peoples Peace Treaty workshop proposal at this meeting consisted of the following five points:

#### Peoples Peace Treaty

#### Workshop Proposal

1. The Coalition urges its affiliate groups to develop summer ratification campaigns through their organizations and in their communities.

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2. The Coalition reaffirms that the demonstrations which it organizes are seen as a means of implementation of the treaty-- and this will be reflected in Coalition organizing and propaganda.
3. In promoting the slogan of Set-the-Date, the Coalition will project it in the context of being Point 1 of the Treaty.
4. This conference expresses its solidarity and support of Huyn Tan Nam and the other Saigon students now under indictment for treason because of their courageous anti-war stand and their role in drafting the Treaty. The National Steering Committee and affiliate groups should express this solidarity especially through demonstrations and letters of protest to the United States and South Vietnamese governments at the time of the treason trial (probably late July or early August.)
5. National coordination of the Peace Treaty will continue to be done through the New York office (156 5th Avenue, Room 527, New York 10010; telephone 212-924-2469).

The following demonstrations were submitted for specific action by the PCPJ:

### PROPOSALS FOR SPECIFIC ACTIONS

August 6 - (Hiroshima Day) - Regional actions, where possible, including civil disobedience, directed (where possible) at targets associated with the air war - ie., air force bases, war research labs, bomb and plane factories, air force recruiting stations, etc.

The political emphasis, obviously, would be on the technological war against the Vietnamese people and their revolution, stressing that Nixon's "withdrawal" plans merely cover the continuation of genocidal bombing.

During the week of October 9 through October 16, there should be a full week of coordinated local and regional actions against the war in Indochina and against injustices at home. It should include purely educational events (teach-ins, leafletting brigades, guerrilla theatre), mass peaceful legal demonstrations, mass non-violent civil disobedience, and a call for student strikes and work actions and stoppages.

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On Wednesday, October 13, there should be a mass peaceful legal demonstration in every city across the country, and if we do our work, these demonstrations should be much larger than the moratorium rallies of 1969. On the same day there should be student strikes and work actions and stoppages. There should be maximum cooperation between us and MPAC in building for this day.

On Thursday and Friday, October 14 and 15, there would be mass non-violent civil disobedience demonstrations in as many cities as possible, and would focus on war contractors, major corporations and federal government buildings and would be planned by local People's Coalitions.

Work actions and stoppages should be seen as an important aspect of our program. Therefore, a part of our energies should be going into doing our best to increase the chances of their occurrence. We should be working with the labor movement and workers at all levels-speaking at locals, speaking to labor leaders, leafletting plant gate giving support to community projects in working class communities, organizing teach-ins in working class high schools and communities. Further work around some issues should also be done with white collar workers and government employees. Staff should be found both at a national and local level who can work at this.

In order to follow up on the regional actions of October 13, we propose a series of demonstrations during the week of November 6-13. On Saturday, November 6, there should be a militant massive legal march through the streets of Washington ending with a brief rally. This format hopefully will counter the sluggish and static atmosphere of previous massive rallies and set the stage for the next few days' protests. Sunday, November 7, should be a day for regional meetings and a rally led by SCLO, NWRO, and other groups working on domestic issues, to continue the offensive against domestic injustice, inequality and repression. On Monday and Tuesday, November 8 and 9, acts of civil disobedience at selected federal targets should occur. These demonstrations should be disruptive, but involve non-mobile tactics and focus in part on the continued air war against the Vietnamese people. Militant torchlight marches through the streets of Washington on the nights following these days of civil disobedience will serve to sustain momentum and create the atmosphere necessary.

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After the Saturday conference, several members of the Indians delegation decided nothing further could be accomplished by them and therefore departed for Indianapolis, Indiana.



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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are seven copies and for recipient offices one copy of an LHM dated and captioned as above in which is set out the Regional Coordinators of the VVAW.

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Vietnam Veterans Against the War

On July 8, 1971, a confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished the following list of Regional Coordinators of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) which was obtained at the National Conference of the People's Coalition for Peace and Justice (PCPJ) held at Milwaukee, Wisconsin during June 25-27, 1971.

PCPJ

A PCPJ press release dated March 1, 1971 described the PCPJ as being headquartered in Washington, D.C. and consisting of over 100 organizations which are using massive, non-violent, civil disobedience to combat racism, poverty, repression and war.

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### Regional Coordinators

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
(VVAW) PROPOSED CARAVAN FROM  
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, TO CAIRO, ILLINOIS  
7/19-20/71  
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On 7/13/71 a well placed and knowledgeable source  
of the Kansas City Division furnished the following  
information:

He has developed through a confidential source  
of his whose reliability has not been fully established  
that information had been received the VVAW is supporting  
a food and meal caravan to Cairo, Illinois, for the black  
community from all over the country. Source stated the VVAW  
group are to meet in St. Louis, Missouri, on 7/19/71 and  
proceed as a caravan to Cairo, Illinois, on 7/20/71.

Source advised no further details of this caravan  
is known at this time.

Above information is being submitted to the Bureau,  
St. Louis and Springfield Offices in view of the previous  
riotous conditions occurring in Cairo, Illinois.

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Will recontact source for further information concerning this proposed caravan and furnish same to the Bureau, St. Louis and Springfield.

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SEVEN ONE: SPONSORED BY LEHIGH VALLEY CHAPTER OF VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR; VIDEM

TROOPER [redacted]

OFFICER, [redacted]

PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE, TROOP L, READING, PA., ADVISED  
JULY ONE THREE, ONE NINE SEVEN ONE, CAPTIONED ORGANIZATION  
IS PLANNING A MARCH BY APPROXIMATELY TWENTY MEMBERS BEGINNING  
AT THEIR HEADQUARTERS, ONE FOUR WEST BROAD STREET, BETHLEHEM,  
PA., AT EIGHT A.M. ON SEPTEMBER NINE, ONE NINE SEVEN ONE.  
THE GROUP PLANS TO WALK FROM BETHLEHEM TO READING, PA., VIA  
ROUTE NUMBER TWO TWO TWO ON SEPTEMBER NINE, ONE NINE SEVEN  
ONE AND CAMP OVER NIGHT AT READING. THE GROUP MAY PUT ON  
GUERRILLA THEATRES AT READING ON THE EVENING OF SEPTEMBER  
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THE GROUP PLANS TO WALK FROM READING TO LEBANON, PA., VIA ROUTE NUMBER FOUR TWO TWO ON SEPTEMBER TEN, ONE NINE SEVEN ONE AND PLANS TO BE JOINED BY THE PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER OF VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR AT READING OR LEBANON. THE GROUP PLANS TO CAMP AT LEBANON ON SEPTEMBER TEN, ONE NINE SEVEN ONE.

ON SEPTEMBER ELEVEN, ONE NINE SEVEN ONE, THE GROUP PLANS TO WALK FROM LEBANON TO CITY ISLAND, HARRISBURG, PA., ARRIVING IN THE EVENING HOURS OF SEPTEMBER ELEVEN, ONE NINE SEVEN ONE.

ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER ONE TWO, ONE NINE SEVEN ONE, AT TWO P.M., THE GROUP PLANS TO STAGE AN ANTI DASH WAR RALLY AT HARRISBURG AT AN UNDETERMINED SITE. THE GROUP WOULD LIKE TO HOLD A RALLY ON THE CAPITOL STEPS IN HARRISBURG OR ON CITY ISLAND.

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STATE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE REGARDING THE OPPOSITION TO THE  
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TROOPER [REDACTED] REITERATED THAT CAPTIONED GROUP IS  
CURRENTLY IN THE PLANNING STAGES OF THE PROPOSED MARCH AND  
RELATED ACTIVITIES, AND HE WILL ADVISE RE FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.  
HE ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]  
EMMAUS, PA., TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] IS ACTING AS REPRESENTATIVE  
FOR CAPTIONED GROUP IN PLANNING MARCH AND RELATED ACTIVITIES.  
ADMINISTRATIVE DATA

PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE ARE POLICE DEPARTMENTS  
IN BETHLEHEM, READING, LEBANON, AND HARRISBURG COMBATANT.  
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES BEING ADVISED.

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TO DIRECTOR (ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIV)

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FROM KANSAS CITY 100-14745 3P

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) PROPOSED CARAVAN FROM ST. LOUIS, MO., TO CAIRO, ILL., JULY NINETEEN, SEVENTYONE. SM - MISC. OO SI.

ON JULY THIRTEEN, SEVENTYONE, A KNOWLEDGEABLE SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST ADVISED HE DETERMINED THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) IS SUPPORTING AND PLANS TO PARTICIPATE IN A FOOD CARAVAN TO CAIRO, ILL., FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE BLACK COMMUNITY OF THAT CITY. SOURCE STATED VVAW GROUPS FROM SEVERAL PARTS OF THE COUNTRY ARE APPARENTLY PLANNING TO MEET AT ST. LOUIS, MO., ON JULY EIGHTEEN OR NINETEEN, SEVENTYONE, AND THEN PROCEED AS A CARAVAN TO CAIRO, ILL., ON JULY TWENTY, SEVENTYONE.

ON JULY FIFTEEN, SEVENTYONE, A SECOND KNOWLEDGEABLE SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST STATED HE DETERMINED THE KANSAS CITY VVAW GROUP IS ACTIVELY COLLECTING FOODSTUFFS AND CLOTHING AT THE RESIDENCE OF JOHN UPTON, PRESIDENT OF THE KANSAS CITY VVAW CHAPTER.

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THE KANSAS CITY CONTINGENT WILL PROCEED TO ST. LOUIS, MO., ON JULY EIGHTEEN OR NINETEEN, SEVENTYONE, TO MEET WITH OTHER VVAW GROUPS AND THEN PROCEED TO CAIRO, ILL. THE MEETING PLACE IS BELIEVED TO BE IN AN UNKNOWN PARK IN ST. LOUIS. U

W/ The SECOND SOURCE ADDITIONALLY ADVISES THAT THE VVAW CARAVAN IS TO BE MET AT ST. LOUIS, MO., AT ONE PM, JULY TWENTY, SEVENTYONE, BY REV. CHARLES KOEN OF THE UNITED FRONT OF CAIRO. KOEN WILL THEN LEAD THE CARAVAN INTO THE BLACK COMMUNITY OF CAIRO ON THAT DAY. TRUCKS IN THE CONVOY WILL BE IDENTIFIED WITH LETTERS VVAW. U

THE VVAW WAS FOUNDED IN THE SPRING OF SIXTYSEVEN BY SIX YOUNG VIETNAM VETERANS IN NEW YORK CITY. AT THE BEGINNING OF SIXTYEIGHT, WITH SIX HUNDRED MEMBERS, VVAW OPENED A NATIONAL OFFICE, FOUNDED THE FIRST GI NEWSPAPERS, QUOTE VIETNAM GI END QUOTE, AND SENT CLOSE TO FIVE HUNDRED VETERANS INTO THE MC CARTHY CAMPAIGN TO BEAT DOWN THE RED BAITERS. AFTER GETTING GASSED AT THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION AT CHICAGO AND CAUGHT IN THE GENERAL QUOTE DOWN END QUOTE OF THE PEACE MOVEMENT, VVAW WAS NEARLY INACTIVE UNTIL THE MORATORIUMS IN THE FALL OF SIXTYNINE. MEMBERS OF VVAW LED STUDENT STRIKES ON MAJOR CAMPUSES ACROSS THE COUNTRY AND BATTLED VETERANS ADMINISTRATION HOSPITAL AUTH-  
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ORITIES OVER THREATS TO THROW AMPUTEE VIETNAM VETERANS OUT FOR SIGN-  
ING ANTIWAR PETITIONS. AT PRESENT, MEMBERSHIP OF THE VVAW, NATIONALLY,  
CONSISTS OF EIGHT THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED MEMBERS. U

REV. CHARLES KOEN IS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, UNITED FRONT OF CAIRO,  
CAIRO, ILL., WHICH IS AN ALL BLACK ORGANIZATION THAT HAS BEEN BOY-  
COTTING WHITE MERCHANTS IN CAIRO SINCE APRIL, SIXTYNINE.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE KANSAS CITY AIRTEL TO BUREAU, JULY FOURTEEN, SEVENTYONE.

*WJ* FIRST SOURCE IS [REDACTED] *b7c* DEPT. OF SECURITY, UNIVER-  
SITY OF KANSAS, LAWRENCE, KS.

SECOND SOURCE IS [REDACTED] *b7c* DEPT. OF SECURITY UNIVERSITY OF  
KANSAS. *b7c* *b7c*

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KANSAS CITY WILL ENDEAVOR TO FURNISH BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES  
AN ASSESSMENT OF THE SIZE AND NATURE OF GROUP DEPARTING FROM KANSAS CITY.

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